ESTABLIBE

Don't Forget

TO ORDER THE

OVERLAND

BEFORE GOING HOME.

OHINA MAIL

ILLUSTRATED.

第二十月五年七零百九千一英

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 1807.

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.

以一十月四年末丁

PRICE, \$8.00 Per Monik

Intimations.

THORNE'S

No. 13,765, ...

Business Notices.

KOWLOON BAY.

Thursday and Saturday, at 5.30 P.M.

CO. BAILEY

SHIPBUILDERS.

HONGKONG, CANTON, MACAO

JOINT SERVICE OF THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND

NAVIGATION COMPANY, LTD.

Hongkong-Canton Line.

e.s. POWAN, 2,383 tons, Captain H. D. Jones. e.s. POWAN, 2,388 tons, Captain W. A. Valentine, e.s. FATSHAN, 2,260 tons, Captain C. Lloyd. e.s. KINSHAN, 1,885 tons, Captain B. Branch

OS. OEUNGSHAN, 1,998 tons, Captain R. D. Thomas, Operatures from Honorous to Canton daily at 8 a.m. (Sunday Excepted), 10 p.m.

The S.S. POWAN willieave Hongkong every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 9 P.M. from Queen Street Wharf West, returning from Canton every Tuesday,

These Steamers, carrying His Majesty's Mails, are the largest and fastest on the River. Special attention is drawn to their Superior Saldest-and Cabin accommodation.

SERVICE OF THE HONGKONG CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT

COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hongkong-Macao Line.

e.s. SUI-AN 1.651 tons, Captain E. H. Grainger.

Begin Hongkong to Macao on week days at 7.30 a.m. from Douglas Wharf and at 2-r.m. from the Company's Wharf On Sundays Special Cheap Excursions, leaving Hongkong at 9 a.m. from Douglas Wharf and from Macao at 5 r.m.

The Company also run a steamer from Macao on Sunday morning at 7.30 a.m. and from Hongkong at 1 r.m. from the Company's Wharf.

Canton-Macao Line.

5.8. LUNGSHAN, 219 tons, Captain T. Hamlin.

Departures from Macco to Captan on Mond y, Wednesday and Friday, at 7.30 a.m.

Departures from Canton to Macao on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 7.30 a.m.

Canton-Wuchow Line.

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STRAMBOAT CO., LD.

HOTTI MANHONS, (First Floor), opposite the Hougkong Rotel.
Or of BUTTERFIFLD and SWIRE,

Agents, CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

CITY ANALYST'S LABORATORY,

138, BATH STREET,

GLASGOW, 21st JANUARY, 1907.

Departures from Macao to Hongkonz on week days at 7.50 a.m. and 2 P.M.

Further particulars may be obtained at the Office of the-

OLDEST

BLEND OF SCOTCH WHISKY.

SCOTLAND.

MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD., AND THE

OFFICES & STORES: No. 20, CONNAUGHT ROAD (SOLE AGENTS FOR BELL'S ASBESTOS CO., LTD., LONDÓN).

Business Notices.

1845

ASBESTOS BELLS

THE MOST DACCER RELIABLE: PACKING

> SOLE MANUFACTURERS: BELL'S ASBESTOS CO., LD., LONDON.

FOR

MARINE

ENGINES.

LARGE STOCK OF PACKINGS, JOINTINGS, &c., ALWAYS IN HAND OFFICE -6, DES VŒUX ROAD.

ANE. CRAWFORD & CO.

LADIES' DEPARTMENT

SUMMER COSTUMES

MUSLIN. LINEN. VOILE. etc. Latest Styles in

TRIMMED MILLINERY.

and SUNSHADES. LANE, CRAWFORD Hongkong, May 4, 1907.

THE HONGKONG

UNRIVALLED FOR COMFORT AND CUISINE. THOROUGHLY UP TO DATE WITH EVERY MODERN LUXURY MODERATE TERMS AND NO EXTRAS. H. HAYNES, Manager,

HOTEL ROWLOON.

QUIET, COMFORTABLE, COOL and WELL-FURNISHED HOTEL |for RESIDENTS and TOURISTS, ELECTRIC LIGHT AND FANS THROUGHOUT Bathroom attached to Each Room, Cuisine under direct European Supervision

For Special Terms for Families and Monthly Boalders. E. G. JORDAN, Manager,

HONGRONG. MANAGED ON AMERICAN PLAN.

Being in the Business center of the town is the FAVOURITE HOTEL with visitor Torms Moderate.
TABLE UNDER DIRECT EUROPEAN SUPERVISION.

Special Terms for Families and Parties. E. G. JORDAN, Manager. Hongkong, March 7, 1937.

ALL REQUISITES.

Hongkong, March 2, 1906

CHEUNG. PHOTOGRAPHER.

AND HONGKONG HOTEL CORRIDOS. EXCELLENT VIEWS OF MATTHEW NATHAN'S FAREWELL.

(OOPYRIGHT). AMATEUR DEPARTMENT. Hongkong, April 9, 1907.

Business Notices.

BELL'S ASBESTOS EASTERN AGENCY, LIMITED GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO., LD.

PORTLAND CEMENT

In Oasks of 375 lbs. not. \$4.50 per Cask, or Factory.

In Bags of 250 lbs. not. \$2.70 psr Bag, ex Factory.

Shewan. GENERAL MANAGERS.

FAIRALL

& 9, Pedder Street.

NHVEST MODELS and MUSLIN EMBROIDERED GOWNS. ALLOVER EMBROIDERIES.

MUSLIN UNDERSKIRTS. SUMMER SINGLETS.

BELTS, HOSIERY, etc.

DUTCH CIGARS

in Boxes of 50. ENJOYABLE SMOKES FOR DAMP SEASON.

MANILA OIGARS IN SPLENDID CONDITION.

Badminton Smoking Mixture. Warden Smoking Mixture. Imperial Cigarettes.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

Limited. BREWER & Co., PEDDER STREET-ADJOINING MAIN ENTRANCE HONGKONS HOTEL.

Recent Colonial Editions of Latest Novels, \$1.50 Each.

Gerard, the Sheriff, by Whistier. I Believe, and other Essays, by Guy The House in the Crescent, by Sergeant. A Story of the Stage, by Ranger-Gull. Thorne. The Romance of a Maid of Honour, by A Millionaire's Courtabip, by Mirs Archibald Richard Marsh. The Story of Martin Coe, by Ralph Paine. Maynard's Wives, by Flowerdew. Sir Nigel, by Conan Doyle. The Hearth of Eutton, by Receit.
The Marriage of Amita, by Truscott.
Honours Glassy Bubble, by Gerrard.

The Princess Romanova, by Horton.
In the House of the Eye, by Mackenzie.
The Pointing Finger, by Rita.
The Lady in Curzon Street, by Fergus The King's Wife, by Vacaresca. Peers or People, by Stead.

Richard Hawkwood, by Maughan.
The Bands of Orion, by Van Voorst,
The Dream and the Business, by Olivar Hobbes. The Ring of Day, by Mary Butler.

TSINGTAU. CODES A.B.O

STRANDHOTEL' OPEN FROM

1st of May, till End of October. MODERATE PRICES.

CONCERTS TWICE A WEEK ON THE BEACH. LAWN TENNIS. EXCELLENT CUISINE AND WINES

For Terms, apply to F. OSTROW, Manager. Hongkong, March 27, 1907.

EXCELLENT FURNISHED ROOMS.

COMFORT OF RESIDENTS AND THE CUISINE A SPECIALTY,

Tolephone

8 and 10, Ice House Road.

FOR TERMS, APPLY TO

HONGKONG & OHINA GAS CO., LD.

A LL ACCOUNTS and RECEIPTS issued by the above Company from the 1sr JUNE Next will bear this EMBOSSED STAMP.



Without such Stamp no receipt or accourt will be authentic. GEORGE OURRY, Local Secretary.

THE MANAGER.

Hongkong, May 16, 1907.

SHAMEEN, CANTON. GENERAL STOREKEEPERS,

WHOLESALE and RETAIL DEALERS IN

WINES and SPIRITS. Export & Import Merchants,

Commission Agents.

A LING & Co., FURNITURE STORE HAVE THIS DAY RESCRED TO No. 19, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, Nead to (KURN AND KOMOR). Pougkong, February 1, 1907.

DEALERS IN VALUABLE CHINESE JADE STONE. GOLD-MOUNTED WARES OF ALL RINDS.

Prices Very Moderate. No. 39A, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL

Honorona. Hongkong, March 18; 1907. JUST LANDED.

CHAMPAGNE CIDER.

FOR RACINESS AND SALUBRITY PREFERRED TO CHAMPAGNE.

Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co.

Wine and Spirit Merchants. 15, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

OLD VAT

AND WEST RIVER STEAMERS. VAL was started by the late Rober Thonne of Grosnock and has been sold as No. 4 since 1831.

SCOTCH WHISKY.

PER DOZEN\$14.

Sole Agents in Hongkong, China and MANILA.

A. S. WATSON & Co., Ltd. (Saturday Excepted).

793 Departures from Cauton to Honokone daily at 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. (Sunday excepted). Hongkong, May 1, 1907.

BANK HOLIDAY. IN accordance with Government Notifica tion No. 332 the EXCHANGE BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transac-

tion of Public Business on FRIDAY, the

WANTED.

24th instant, VIOTORIA DAY. Hongkong, May 21, 1907.

EMPLOYMENT by Young EURO-PEAN. Indoor or Outdoor. Speaks Chinose, Cantonese and Shanghai, also Ilindustani fluently. No objection to Coast Ports. 'S. H. J.,' Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office.

Hongkong, May 21, 1907. FOR SALE.

BOUND VOLUMES

TAILOR, DRAPER AND OUTFITTER

a.s. SAINAM, 588 tons, Captain J. Willox.
o.s. NANNING, 569 tons, Captain A. McKinnon (at Dock).
One of the above Stemmers leaves Canton for Wachow every Menday, Wednesday and Friday at about Sa.m. and the other leaves Wachow for Cauton on the same days. ARE ON SALE AT THE 'China Mail' Office.

at 8.30 a.m. Round trips take about five days. These vessels have Superior Cable. Accommodation and are lighted throughout by electricity. 8 Queen's Road Central. SEE

JOINT SERVICE OF THE H.K., C. AND MACAO STEAMEOUT CO., LTD., THE ORINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LTD., AND THE INDO-OHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LTD.

HAS REMOVED to new premises, 14, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. Hongkong, January 26, 1907.

MACKIE'S WHITE HORSE CELLAR'

Hereby certify that I have taken samples of every vatting of Mackie's 'White Horse Cellar' Blend of Scotch WHISKY used in bottling during the month of December, and the results of my analyses indicate that it conforms to the

standard for Pot Still Scotch Whisky set up in the London case. I am also of opinion-that it is an old Whisky of excellent quality and flavour which has been well matured in wood.

and the Counties of Lanark and Renfrew, &c.

Price \$13

Free Samples supplied on application to the

SOLE AGENTS:

LANE, CRAWFORD

JOHN CLARK, Pr. D.F.C.S., F.I.C.,

Public Analyst for the City of Glasgow,

PER DOZEN.

G. FALCONER & Co.,

WATCH-MAKERS AND JEWELLERS. HOTHL MANSIONS.

NEW SELECTIONS OF DIAMOND JEWELLERY AND ENGLISH SILVER WARE, HIGH-CLASS GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES.

LARGE SELECTION OF PRESENTATION PLATE, CUPS, BOWLS, etc. G. FALCONER & Co. ARE AGENTS FOR ROSS'S FAMOUS TELESCOPES AND BIN()OULARS, LORD KELVING NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, ADMIRALTY CHARTS AND BOOKS.

AGENTS FOR THE EMPIRE TYPEWRITER

MUMEYA,

AND PHOTOGRAPHER. JAPANESE ENLARGEMENTS ON BROMIDE PAPER AND FINISHED IN CRAYON. ALL KINDS OF WORK DONE FOR AMATEURS; & QUEEN'S ROAD OFNTRAL.



KAISHA BUSSAN MITSUI (MITSUI & CO.)

IMPORT EXPORT & COMMISSION MERCHANTS. HONGKONG BRANCH :- PRINCE'S BUILDINGS, ICE HOUSE STREET. M. ROBAYASHI, MANAGER. HEAD OFFICE :- No. 1. SURUGACHO, TORTO.

OTHER BRANCHES: London, New York, San Francisco, Hamburg, Calcutta, Bombay, Rangoon, Singapore, Bangkok, Sourabaya, Manila, Canton, Swatow, Amoy, Foochow, Tsingtau, Shanghai, Hankow, Chefoo, Tientsin, Newchwang, Tairen, Antung, Scoul, Chemulpo, Yokohama, Yokosuka, Nagoya, Ozaka, Kobe, Kure, Maizuru, Moji, Wakamatsu, Karatsu, Nagasaki, Kuchinotsu, Sasebo, Miike, Hakodate, Sappore, Taipeh, Tainan, etc., etc., etc.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS :- 'MITSUII (A.B.O. and Al CODES). CONTRACTORS OF COAL to the Imperial Japanese Navy, Mint and Amenals, the State Rulways, Principal Railway Companies, Industrial Works, and Home and Foreign Mail and Freight Steamers

SOLE PROPRIETORS of the Famous Milks, Tagawa, Yamano, and Ida Cost Mines, and SOLE AGENTS for Fujinotana, Hokoka, Hondo, Kanada, Mameda, Ohisuji, Ohnoura, Sasahara, Tsubakuro, Yoshio, Yunokibara, and other Caals. (MPORTERS and EXPORTERS of Cotton, Cotton Yarn, Cotton Pieco Goods, Copper, Bliver, Tin, Lead, and other Metals, Railway Materials, Acids, Camphor, Flour, Cereals, Manure, Rice, Opium, Isinglass, Mushrooms, Sugar, Waz, Vermicelli, Sulphor, Homp, Beer, Coment, Cigarottes, Matches, Paper, Hides, Leather, Belts, Teak, and other Timber, etc. Hongkong, April 11, 1907.

TYPEWRITERS!! TYPEWRITERS!

Typewriters repaired, cleaned, overhauled, and broken parts duplicated under expert supervision.

Old Machines Renovated. Terms Very Moderate. SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

BICYCLES

FOR SALE, REPAIR, EXCHANGE AND HIRE. THE DRAGON CYCLE CO., 11, D'Aguilar Street.

THAT

where Eno's 'Fruit Sait' has been taken in the earliest stages

of a disease it has in innumerable instances prevented a serious

illness. The effect of

upon any disordered, elsepless, or feverish condition is simply

CAUTION.-Examine the Capsule and see that it is marked ENOS' FRUIT SALT?

Prepared only by J. C. ENO. Ltd., FRUIT SALT WORKS, London S.D.,

End, by J. C. DNO'S Patent.

Sold by Chemists and Stores everywhere,

otherwice you have the sincerest form of flattery—IMITATION.

marvellous and unsurpassed. In fact it .

Hongkong, February 16, 1907.



MITSU BISHI COSHI KWAISHA (MITSU BISHI CO.)

MARUNO CCHI, TOKIO.

Codes used.

AGENCIES:

-SHARGHAI, HONGKONG AND HANKOW.

YOKOHAMA: M. Asada, Esq. CHINKIANG: Messrs Grammo & Co MANILA: Messis Macondinay & Co.

SOLE PROPRIETORS of Takasima. large scale the best Buzen Cod.

T. MATSUKI, Manager, Hongkong, No. 2, Pedder Street.

Houghong, April 25, 1906.

in a technical position. The INTER-NATIONAL CORRESPONDENCE SOHCOLS, of Scrunton, offer the rough instruction in over 200 courses. If you want to qualify for promotion or prepare for other more profitable occupation write us fully, telling just what work you wan' to prepare for. We will send full particulars by return mail and can start you to work without delay. We to ch NAVIGATION, CIVII, ELECTRICAL, and ME-

GENERAL , GENCY, I.C.S., Box M, 429, MANILA.

WILSON, or until further notice.

CHEE WING & CO. 致

Chairman.

27, 28 and 29, LEE YUEN STREET (WEST).

DEALERS IN All Sorts of COPPER, BRASS, STEEL

STEEL GIRDERS AND TEES CORRUGATED IRON, PIG IRON, &c. Suitable for

NETHERTON.

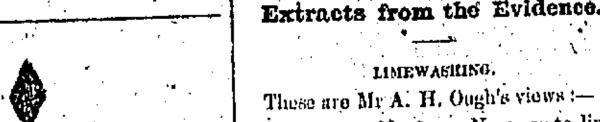
to take with your food cocoa, and the best cocoa is Wan Houten's Cocoa. not retard digestion, it assists It.

> Extremely easy of-digestion, light and nourishing."-Court Journal.



A Cocoa you can Enjoy.

Intimations.



COAL DEPARTMENT

CABLE ADDRESS: 'IWASAKI.' Which applies to al. Branch Offices. Al, ABC 5th Edition, Western Union

All Letters Addressed :-MANAGER, MITSU BISHI CO., with name of place under. BRANCH OFFICES :-NAGABARI, MOJI, KOBE, KABATSU,

Ochi, Shinnew, Namazuta and Kami-Yamada Collieries and also Hojo Colliery. which will shortly be ready to produce on a The Head and Branch Offices and the Acencies of the Company will receive any order for Coals produced from the above

STUDY IN YOUR

and prepare yourself for better pay

WRITE TO DAY TO

Hangkong, May 2, 1907.

NOTICE. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

Day ASSUMED CHARGE of the Company as AUTING OHIEF MANAGER during the Absence on leave of ME W. and Engineering. By Order of the Board of Directors. H. P. WHITE,

Hongkong, May 9, 1907.

HONGKONG.

IRON WARE &c.

Juips. Engineers and House Builders.

of the Sunitary Board said it was because the Chinese did not wish to spend the STEAMER

prepared to receive TFNDERS for the was poor to come to me, and they would Purchase of the above Steamer +8 she now

GILMAN & CO., Lloyds' Agents. Hongkong, May 7, 1907.



SOLE AGENTS. BANK BUILDINGS.

Hongkong, May 18, 1906

THE SANITARY COMMISSION.

Extracts from the Evidence.

Mr Shelton Hooper.-Now, as to limewashing. Under the Ordinance, tenement houses have to be limewashed twice a year, and you know the sort of limewash which is used, and the way it is put on here. Do you think that it is necessary to linewash all Chinese houses, irrespective of class, twice a year ?-Mr Ough-No. What would you suggest as an amond-

ment to that present regulation ?-I would

have everything in the house turned out,

r moved bodily once a month. I am only now trying to lay down the laws of good house keeping. The object is to get rid of the cockroaches. I think, and vermin, and [would have all the corners dry brushed down, all internal angles everywhere. I don think myself that throwing buckets of witer the floor and sweeping them out again is much use, unless the whole of the place where dust can lodge is swept. To my mind, the advantage of limewashing is that the brush has to go into overy crevice or eranny, and there is a visible evidence of the brush having been there, and it is done. I don't think the limewash itself has anything to do with disinfecting, the lime we use here.

Hon. Mr E. A. Howett-And so you really think that the only benefit of lime washing is that the room is swept out? It is cleaned. If you use hot lime, like they do in England, it is a different

It kills anything it touches. Don't you think if that were done here once a year, it would be better that 816 putting on this stuff twice a year?—Yes

> Hon. Mr E. A. Hewett-Do you think it (limewashing) contributes much to killing germs and feducing sickness? Dr Clark-I don't think it kills germs, so much as killing vermin. And do you think, therefore, that the inconvenience and expense which is caused

to the community by this limewashing is justified by, the results ?-I think so, Yes. I think the place would be hopeless if we did no cleansing and limowashing. The houses would be much darker and dirtier than they are at present.

THE MORTAR TESTS. Mr Humphreys.-Do you happen

know the Government tested the differen samples of mortar, on which they fined the Chinese \$250?-Mr A. H. Ough-

Do you consider those tests fair ones? No, I don't. I consider them very unsatisfactory, (as in my old answers that I put

HOW PLANS ARE PASSED. Hon. Mr E. A. Hewett-What is about the average time here, between sending in plans for approval of Building Authority and Sanitary Board, and the receipt of CHANICAL ENGINEERING, RE- permit to proceed?-Mr A. H. Ough-It FRIGERATION, BOOK-KEEPING, is impossible to make an average. The time varies from 12 days to six months. We are still without acknowledgment of plans sent in on March 10th, 1906. See also my reply to printed question, No. 3, dated July 23rd, 1905. That reply gives

specific dates and instances. What is your experience as regards, the time for so doing, in England —I have put in plans at West Ham, and got them passed next day, also I have had to wait a month owing to special points. I should say a reasonable time to allow would be

one week. Do you think the appointment of an Executive Engineer, and a Medical Officer of Health, as Advisers to the Sanitary Board, would be an improvement in the general administration of the Ordinance ?--CO., LTD.

Yes. I suggest that plans should be considered by an Authority composed of four official and six unofficial Members. with a non-technical Chairman, and advised by non-voting experts in Law, Medicine.

> Mr Alfred Turner-Plans were passed at Home in about one week; 23 years ago. Here it took two weeks to five months.

Mr E. A. Ram-He would not be exact gerating by saying that on the average plans took one month (to be passed), even plans which did not require alteration.

Hon. Mr E. Osborne rarely got plans passed for small work (small repairs) in a fortnight. Several of his small jobs were finished without waiting for permission. If he had waited he might have waited indefinitely.

THE DUMPING NUISANCE. the dumping of dead bodies by Chinese.

Mr Fung Wa Chun .- You advertise that you give away coffins, -is not that a fact? Why do you do that !- Because at a inceting of the Sanitary Board in 1904, it was said that there were so many corpses dumped into the street. One of the Members

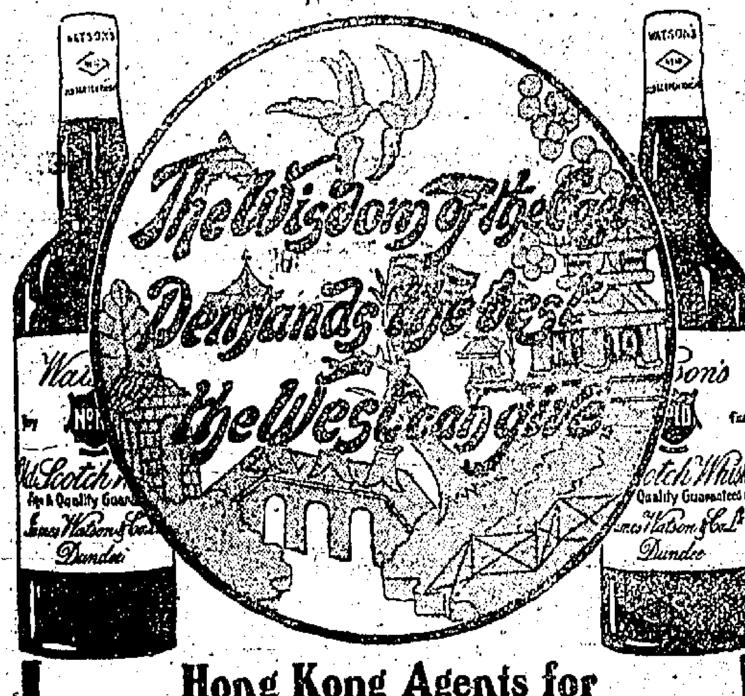
money, and they would not take the money

to pay for the coffin, but throw the corpse When I saw this, I knew it was not ORDER OF THE UNDER. | the case. I had no proof about it though, WRITERS, the Undersigned are so I advertised in the papers for whoever get coffins. Then, if it was true what the lies at SINGAPORE in a Fire Damaged Member of the Board had said; everybody would come to me for coffins, and the bodies would not be thrown out. I have LONDON carried this on for three years. I gave one 828 away to day. It is only that about ten to twenty persons in the course of a year ask for coffins. But I knew that there were over 1,000 corpses dumped in the street in the course of a year. I wrote up to His Excellency the Governor, and Mr. London and its Suburbs, the D.rectory Browin sent me back a reply thanking me for what I had done in this matter, and even this would not prevent the people

> Can you tell us the reason why the Chineso dump, the dead bodies?-Because of arranged under the Ports to which they sail, torn down, and somotimes things are Though the G vernment does componente, it does not compensate to the full amount. If it is their own things that O liave been lost or destroyed, they would not say anything. But it happens that there are several families living on one floor, and then it implicates people. Sometimes you don't wish to throw corpses into the street, but the people in the house will

(Continued on Page 3.)

Intimations.



Hong Kong Agents for Watson's Dundee Whisky (No. 10), Watkins, Ltd., Apothecaries Hall, Hong Kong.

PEAK TRAMWAYS COMPANY. LIMITED.

ORDINARY ANNUAL GENERAL pany will be CLOSED from the 22nd to 31st

Hongkong, May 15, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY CIVEN that the TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Company (since its registration) will be held at the Offices of the Company in Alexandra Buildings, on SATURDAY, the 25th Instant, at 12.30 P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers together with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1906. The REGISTER of SHARES will be OLOSED from WEDNESDAY, the 22nd Instant, to TUESDAY, the 28th Instant,

both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares will be Registered. General Managers.

CARMICHAEL AND

CONSULTING ENGINEERS AND SHIPBUILDERS, SURVEYORS AND CONTRACTORS, REPAIRS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

TELEGRAMS: 'OARMICHAEL,' Honget no. A. B. C. Code, 4th Edition. A. 1 Code.

Meber's Standard Code. TELEPHONE 232,

COMPANY TRAMWAY8 L'MITED. المهربين الأداء TIME TABLE.

11.30 s.m. to 12.45 p.m.. Every 15 minutes. 12.45 p.m. to 1.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes. 2.15 p.m. to 3.00 p.m... Every 15 minutes. 3.30 p.m. to 5.00 p.m... Every 15 minutes. 5.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes,

p.m. every half hour.

1).30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 10 minutes. Mr Ho Kom Tong was examined as to 12.00 Noon to 1.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes. 7.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m... Every 10 minuter. NIGHT CARS as on Week Days.

> Extra Care at 11,30 and 11.45 p.m. SPECIAL CARS by Arrangement at the Company & Office, ALEXANDRA BUILDINGS, Des Voeux Road Central.

SATURDAYS.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON. General Managers.

DIRECTORY. (PUBLISHED ANNUALLY).

Out the Empire to keep in close touch with the trade of the Motherland. Besides being a complete commercial guide to contains lists of :-EXPORT MERCHANIS

ENGLAND.

Resolutions :—

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK.

ING CORPORATION.

ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that ar

IN EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of

held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on

FRIDAY, the 31st day of May, 1907, at

Noon, for the purpose of considering and,

if thought fit, of passing the following

1, That the Directors of the Hongkong

and Shangkai Banking Corporation

be and they are hereby requested

and authorised by and on behalf of

the Shareholders of the Company to

take the steps necessary for the introduction of an Ordinance into

the Legislative Council of the Colony

of Hongkong and for the enactment

of the same by the Governor of

Hongkong with the advice and con-

sent of the Legislative Council

thereof to effect the amendments

necessary to the Ordinance under

which the Company is incorporated

allow of the capital of the Company

being from time to time increased

2. That from the date of such new

Ordinance coming into operation and

Corporation be increased from

\$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000 by the

creation of 40,000 New Shares of

\$125 each to be issued at the price

of £30 on the terms after mentioned.

Shareholders on the Eastern Regis-

ters to pay for their allotments at the

rate of Exchange for the Company's

demand Bills on London on the day

That the said new Shares be in the

first instance, in such manner as the

Directors shall prescribe for that

purpose, offered to Shareholders in the proportion of one New Share for

every two shares of which on the

31st day of May, 1907, shareholders

shall respectively be the Registered

within the time limited by the

posed of and allotted by the Direc-

tors in such manner and at such

shall think best in the interests of

That the payment of the sum of £30

-per share for each of the said New

Shores be made as follows, .viz :-

Ist instalment of £15 on the 1st day

2nd and final instalment of £15 on the

That the Directors issue to share-

holders, holding shares not a mul-

in respect of each share in excess of

or below the multiple and allot one

New Share to every person who shall produce two such Fractional

of July, 1907, and pay the first

That after payment of the first

instalment and pending payment of

the remaining instalment, Scrip

in respect of such New Shares en-

jest to such other terms as to ap

certificates and otherwise as the

Directors may prescribe, to be re-

gistered as the owners of the Shares

respectively represented by such

That interest at the rate of 5 per

centum per annum be allowed out

of the profits of the company on

instalments paid in advance of th

dates, when the same become due.

and that registered holders of 'Scrip

Certificate for New Shares be en-

titled in respect of such New Shares

to participate in future dividends on

an equality with the old share, in

Scrip Certificates.

instalment in respect thereof.

tiple of two, a fractional certificate

let day of October, 1907.

the Company.

of July, 1907

Directors for that purpose, be dis-

the instalments are due.

NTOTICE IS HEREBY CIVEN that the MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the 1 the Shareholders of The Hongkong and Mr Shelton Hooper.—In England, don't above Company will be held at the Register of the Company, Alexandra they put it on hot?—Yes, it is made hot? TERBO OFFICE of the Company, Alexandra SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION will be Buildings, Des Vœux Road Central, on SATURDAY, the 25th day of May, 1907, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the period from 19th October, 1905, to 37th April, 1907. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-

> instant, both days inclusive. JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON. General Managers.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, Hongkong, May 15, 1907.

CLARKE.

WEEK DAYS. 7.00 a.m. to 7.30 a.m. .. Every 30 minutes. 7.30 a.m. to 9.30 a.m. Every 10 minutes 9.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m... Every 15 minutes. 1.15 p.m. to 1.45 p.m. Rvery 15 minutes. 1.45 p.m. to 2.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

8.45 p.m. and 9 p.m., 9.45 p.m. to 11.18

8.00 s.m. to 9.00 s.m... Every 15 minutes. 9.00 a.m. to 9.30 a.m... Every 30 minutes. 9.30 a.m. to 10.30 a.m. Every 15 minutes. 1.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes. 5.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m... Every 10 minute... 6.00 p.m. to 7.00 p.m. .. Every 15 minuter.

THE

LINABLES enterprising traders through

with the Goods they ship, and the Co'onial nd Feroign markets they supply; STEAMSHIP LINES

the fumigation of houses. Partitions are and indicating the approximate sailings; PROVINCIAL APPENDIX of Trade Notices of leading Manufacturers, Merchants etc., in the principal provincial owns and industrial centries of the United

> A copy of the current edition will be forwarded, freight paid, on rec. ipt of Post For the Honokone & Shanohai Banking Office Order for TWENTY SHILLINGS. THE LONDON DIRECTORY Co., Ltd. 25, Abchurch Lane, London, E.C.,

Intimations.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS.

PROMENADE CONCERT

VOLUNTEER PARADE GROUND,

SATURDAY, 25TR MAY, 1907, AT 9 P M(c) in aid of the

GYMPASIUM AND POAT FUND. ADMISSION 82, \$1,

If the weather is unfavourable the Concort will take place in the DRILL HALL.

THEATRE THEATRE

CITY HALL.

BANDMANN THE

22 LONDON ARTISTS 22:

will present the two following London Successes for the first time

THURSDAY, May 30tli,

'The Idler.'

Doors open at 8:30. Commence at 9 P.M. Hongkong, May 20, 1987.

3 of the Hougkong and Shanghai Statuary, Ancient Armour and Implements
Banking Corporation Ordinance of War, French and Venetian Wares, 1899 for a further period of 21 years | beautiful articles of Decorative Furniture from and including the 14th day of including a Bedroom Suite in Crystal and a handsome Roman Chair from the Vatican.

> A Nominal Fee of FIFTY CENTS will funds of the Canton Nam. Keung Public Children and Soldiers and Sailors in ...

T. H. TAI, Manager.

LABUAN COAL THE LABUAN COALFIELDS COM! PANY, LTD., are now prepared to Holders, and that any New Shares bunker Steamers at LABUAN, with Good not accepted by the Shareholders Fresh Quality LABUAN COAL, double

price as in their discretion they Telegraphic Address :-LABOR,' Labuan.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE

INSURANCE COMPANY.

MOTAL FUNDS AT SIST DECEMBER, 1805, I—Authorised Capital £3,000,000 Subscribed Capital £2,750,000

£17,837,119 8 1 Certificates on or before the let day Revenue Fire Branch ... 2,061,044 19. 8 Life & Annuity } 1,713,808 19 10

£3,774,853 19 6 The Accumulated Funds of the Fire and Cortificates in such form as the Life Departments are free from liability in Directors may determine be issued respect of each other. SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,

> Br J. A. Reprinted from the 'CHINA MAIL'

had at the 'CHINA MAIL' Office 8, Queen's Road Central.





FOR TWO NIGHTS ONLY.

COMEDY-COMPANY.

in Hongkong :--

'Mrs Gorringe's Necklace.' FRIDAY, MAY 31st,

PRICES OF ADMISSION...\$3, \$2, \$1. Plan now Open at MOUTRIE & CO.

GRAND OPENING OF THE ARTS EXHIBITION.

and carrying on business so as to FOR A SHORT SEASON ONLY. from ten millions of dollars, the present authorised capital of the UNION NAM KEUNG PUBLIC COLLEGE, there Company, to twenty millions of will be OPENED to the PUBLIC at 57. dollars and also for extending the QUEEN'S RUAD CENTRAL, (three doors period of the operation of such from Supreme Court), on WEDNESDAY, Ordinance for a further period of 16th May, 1907, a Grand Exhibition of 21 years from and including the 14th | exquisite ART TREASURES, comprisingday of August, 1908, and for con- Paintings, Sculptures, Carvings, Tapestries, tinuing all the provisions of Section Artistic Marble and Bronze Busts and

Raro Curios, Bric-a brace, Bronzes, and other specimens of Vertu collected by conbecoming effective the Capital of the noisseurs in Arts from all parts of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking world to the order of the exhibitors. be charged for admission, the nett proceeds: of which will be devoted to the educational

> uniform Ha'f-price. Doors Opened 12 Noon to 5 P.M.; 7 to TICKETS may be had at Entrance.

Hougkong, May 13 1907-

screened and straight from the Mines. For further particulars, apply to BRADLEY & CO.,

Hongkong, March 12, 1907.

Pald-up Capital £687,500 0 0 II. Fire Funds 3,386,720 19 8 III-Life & Annuity Funds 13,762,898 8 5

titling the holders on payment of 735 the remaining instalment, and subproval, date for lodging scrip 6 DEMINISCENCES OF INTERPORT CRICKET

Pamphlet Form.



Corporation, " J. R. M. SMITH.

That all moreova received from prominin on the said new Shares be added to the Reserve Funds.

each instalment not punctually paid, and be paid with each such instal-

insist upon it. According to Chinese ous-

tom, the corpse is of the utmost importance,

and now to-day on account of such import-

ant matter, they don't look after the corp-

ses. It is only on account of extraordinary

circumstances that they would do this.

Everybody knows that I have these coffins, and the Tung Wa Hospital has them the

whole year round, still there are so many

corpses thrown out and it is for this reason.

MALADMINISTRATION.

Hon. Mr E. A. Hewett-Now, going to

the Ho Miu Ling Hospital, you sent in

Lemm—Yes.

Yes, practically

To Let.

TO LET-(WELL FURNISHED).

BIRNAM BRAE, CONDUIT ROAD. MIGHT-roomed House-Billiard Room; with full-size Table, 3 Bath-rooms, Drying Room, Store-room and Pantry-Good Tennis Lawn, Electric Light and Bells, and a Telephone,

G. M. B., Apply to Care of CHINA MAIL Office. Hongkong, March 19, 1907.

TO LET.

VITH immediate possession, No. 11, HUMPHREY'S AVENUE, Apply on the PREMISES. Hongkong, May 11, 1907.

TO LET.

ATOS. 3 and 4, OBSERVATORY VIL-LAS, Kowleon. Moderate Rental. Tonnis Court and Electric Lights

ARRATOON V. APCAR & CO., 45, Wyndham Street; Hongkong, May 1, 1907.

TO LET.

TARPERVILLE, GARDEN ROAD 6 Rooms with Tennis Court and detached Servants' Quarters. Possession from lat Jan., 1907.

Apply to PERCY SMITH & SETH, Accountants, Auditors, &c., 5. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. Hongkong, January 18, 1906.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED. A LARGE COOL and AIRY ROOMS with Verandaus and Bath-Ecom. Fine View of Harbour and Peak. 3 minutes from Clock Tower.

Apply to Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office. Hongkong, May 3, 1907.

TO LET.

OFFICES in ALEXANDRA BUILD-SECRETARY, Apply to A. S. WATSON & Co., LD.

TO LET.

Hongkong, April 22, 1907.

NO. 149, PEAK, MAGAZINE GAP. A 5-Roomed House. Low Rental. Apply to AHMET RUMJAHN,

2, Pedder Street. Hongkong, April 20, 1907.

Possession from 1st April next. SEMI-ATTACHED HOUSES, Nos. 13B and 1So, MadDonnell Road, Each with 7 Rooms, Bath-Rooms, Kitchen, Borvant's Quarter and Grass Tennis Court.

OHUNG CHI NAM, YAN ON M. & F. INSURANCE Co., LD. liongkong, March 1, 1907.

TO LET.

FROM 1st JULY. ARGE and Spacious GODOWNS Nos. 9, 9A, 9B, 90 and 10, PRAYA EAST, at present in the occupation of the Ad-

Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENOY Co., LD. Hongkong, May 1, 1907.

TO LET.

NTO. 38, CAINE ROAD; 2ND FLOOR, 12, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. GREENCROFT, CARDEN ROAD, KOWloon, Redecorated, Electric Light, Tennis

No. 1, FAIRVIEW, ROBINSON ROAD, Kowlogn. LEIGH & ORANGE, I, Des Voux Road.

Hongkong, February 19, 1907.

TO LET. NO._8, GRANVILLE AVENUE

Kowloon. Apply to HUMPHREYS' ESTATE & FINANCE CO., LD.

Hongkong, March 27, 1907.

TO LET. ROUND FLOOR of No. 4, DES VOEUL Road including a Strong Room and Servants' Quarters. ROOMS on Second Floor of VICTORIA

Building, No. 5, Queen's Road Central, suitable for Offices. No. 3, PEDDERS HILL, comprising 5 Rooms with out-houses, occupation from 1st proximo, DAVID SASSOON & Co., Lo.

Hongkong, April 26, 1907. TO LET ON LEASE.

FROM 1st JANUARY, 1907.

NOS. 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14, HOLLY-Nos. 1. 2, 3, 4 and 5, SUN WAI LANE. ARRATOON V. APOAR & CO. 45 Wyndham Street.

> TO BE LET FURNISHED .-+SLEMISH,'

Hongkong, October 24, 1906.

O. 101, MOUNT GOUGH, The Peak. From April next. J. HASTINGS, 38, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, February 8, 1907. 269

TO LET.

LAIR VIEW, No. 1. ROBINSON-ROAD obeerfully situated immediately below Sir Paut Charen's Mansion, containing side Verandaha, with full view of Harbour Six Commodious Rooms with Verandaha and Large Halle, has a commanding view of the harbour, is in the healthiest focation and has a small front Garden. Possession can be had from 1st June.

Apply to DAVID SASSCON & Co., LD.

For the Prevention and Cure of

Sold by Chemists everywhere in Bottles at 1/12 each, with full directions.

No Resident in Tropical Countries should be without this invaluable Medicine, the timely use of which has saveu thousands of lives.

ALFRED FENNINGS. Cowes.

KYOTO, JAPAN.

A NEW AND STRICTLY FIRST-CLASS HOTEL.

For Indigestion, Heartburn, Biliousness, Jaundice, and all Complaints of the Liver and Kidneys.

THEY ARE INVALUABLE FOR THE USE OF FEMALES.

Manufactured only at 78, New Oxford Street, London. Sold by all Chamista and Medicine Vendors,



JOHN DARRY & SONS LIMITED. "WELLINGTON MILES LONION."

To Let.

TO LET. HOUSE in KNUTSFORD TER-A RACE, KOWLOON.

Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST MENT & AGENCY Co., LD. Hongkong, May 1, 1906.

OUARNDON ' the Peak; Furnished or Unfurnished. Apply, by letter, R. HEMMINGS,

c/o Honokone Hotel. Hongkong, April 2, 1907.

TO LET. NTO. 1, WEST END TERRACE, SHA-MEEN, CANTON. Apply to

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY Co., LD. Hongkong, May 1, 1907.

TO LET. ATO. 2, HOLLYWOOD ROAD. POTTINGER STREET. Imme-

diate Possession. ARRATOON V. APCAR & CO. 45, Wyndham Street. Hougkong, April 4, 1907.

TO TET. in WONG NEI CHONG OFFICES in KING'S BUILDING and YORK BUILDING.

GODOWNS on PRAYA EAST. A HOUSE in CLIFTON GARDENS Conduit Road. FLATS in Moreton Terrace.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST. MENT & AGENCY Co., Ind. Hongkong, May 1, 1907.

TO LET.

SUMMERVILLE, No. 157, WANCHAI ROAD, A Three-Storied EUROPEAN House with 6 Rooms, Bath-rooms, Kitchen and Bervants' Quarters, large front and and the Colony. The bouse is situated in a European locality and is very healthy. For further particulars, apply to

Care of 'CHINA MAIL' OFFICE, or to 155, WANGHAI ROAD. Hongkong, April 6, 1907.

To Let.

TO LET. TEACONSFIELD ARCADE, Fine

D Offices and Dwelling Rooms. 15. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, Top Floor over Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co.) BELILIOS TERRACE HOUSES, Re-BINBON' ROAD.

GLENWOOD, CAME ROAD, suitable for a Boarding House or Club, contains 26 Rooms. This property would be divided into 2 or more houses to suit tenants. Small BUNGALOW containing Furnished Room with Bath and Dressing-rooms Kitchen, &c. Close to BARKER ROAD Tram Station, suitable for one or two bachelors. No. 8, BELILIOS TERRACE, Corner House, 1st Row.

WELLBURN, No. 81, Peak. 6 Rooms and Tennis Court. No. 4, ALBANY, Furnished or Unfurnished.

LINSTEAD & DAVIS. 3rd Floor, Alexandra Buildings. Hongkong, April 12, 1967.

TO LET. TAURNISHED HOUSE, at Kowloon

For particulars, apply to G. P. LAMMERT, Duddell Street. Hongkong, April 22, 1907.

TO LET. TIWO FOUR ROOMED HOUSES, at PRAYA KAST, near East Point.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO. Hongkong, January 3, 1907. SIR ROBERT HARTS

MEMORANDUM. Series of Articles on Sir Robert HART'S SCHEMES for the Improve-

ment of China. Reprinted from the China Mai To lis had in pamphlet form at this Office, 8, 24 | Queen's Road Central. PRIOR 50 Cents.

THE BACK DOOR.

SKETCH OF WHAT MIGHT

Reprinted from the CHINA MAIL To be had at the "OHINA MAIL! Office. 8. Queens Road Central.

Auctions.

FIGHE Undersigned have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction,

THURSDAY. the 28rd May 1907, at 10 A.M., at H. M.

plans and they were passed !-- Mr J. NAVAL YARD,-Did you build it according to the plansi-SUNDRY CONDEMNED NAVAL AND OLD SURPLUS YIOTUALLING Why did they make you pull down a wallin front?—They said there was not sufficient STORES,

light in the basement. Could they not have seen that, if an expert had examined the plans when they Wood Blocks, Hoses, Meral France, went in ?- Certainly. they actually approved of it?-And when it was completed, they made OLD BOATS, FURNITURE, CARPETS, PAPER-

complica with the plan?—Yes. Did you thank that was a good case for Did you thank av approved and passed Jerseys, Blankers Tobacco, Muss Traps, Paid-up CapitalYen 5,000,000. plans, and you carried to out, and were &o put to the extra expense ou. wall down again?—It was only a matter of \$10, and I did not trouble. You Idon't think it was in order ?- It!

might have been objected to in the first Supposing you had refused to pull that down?—They would not have passed my Although the building was built to plans that they had approved ?-Yes.

Mr Li Yau Chun-Officers of the Board called at his pawn shop, which had a tiled loor. A hole four feet square was made in the centre of the floor and left like that for a month, then he was informed that he would have to re-concrete the whole floor.

MR RAM'S EXPERIENCE. -Mr E. A. Ram-Another experience When we built an addition to the Peal Hotel, recently-about a year ago-we got permission from the Government, through Mr Chatham, to erect matsheds under the coolie house there.— We got permission to put them there, and then we or rather the contractor got served with a nuisance notice from the Sanitary Board, because he had not got 50, superficial feet for every coolie. That is very sensible for a building in Queen's Road, but to apply it to a build-ing at the Peak, where you have got fresh nir all round ! !-Of course the next tender the contractor gets up there, he puts it on

ridiculously extreme application of the law. possible for you to sign papers which have. been put into d' box or basket for your RECEIVER, to Sell'by Public Auction, signature by some Chinaman for his own ends and you may by fraud be induced to sign papers—which should not be signed and which are put to an improper use the 25th May, 1907, at 11 A.M., on Board afterwards. Isn't that so? Mr.G.A. Woodcock This is so.

Hon. Mr E. A. Hewett-That is a

HOW IT SHOULD BE ORGANISED. Dr Atkinson—I have always considered t much better to have Sanitary Health Length 79 feet matters run by a municipality or as a Broadth 14 ft. 4 In. Government department, one thing or the Depth 8 ft. 4 in other. The combination of the two is im- Gross Tonnage practicable in my mind. Hon. Mr Osborne—One Executive En- Licensed to carry 98 passengers inside gineer could do the work of both depart- the Harbour and 24 outside the Colony.

have one authority only.

WANTED.

A COMPRADOR, having business connections directly having business China and able to provide substantial Security consisting of landed property in Hongkong to the extent of 10% of the annual turnover. Good remuneration to a suitable man. First-Class references from a Foreiga Bank required. Apply by letter only in the first instance to DENNYS & BOWLEY. Hongkong, April 4, 1907.

A HIGH-CLASS PRIVATE HOTEL. Ladies' Afternoon Tea Rooms. Private Bar and Billiard Rooms.

Hot and Cold Water throughout. Electric Fans (if required). Electric Passenger Elevator to each Flore Table D'Hote at Separate Tables. Celegraphic Address:

· VIOTORIA, Honghong-For terms, &c., apply to the MANAGER.

THE BEST BILLIARD TABLES IN THE COLONY ARE AT THE KOWLOON HOTEL, CABLE ADDRESS CHEK KOWLOON.

High-class Tourist's Hotel under Amer-Lan Management. Pireb class Oulsine, Beautiful Garden.

Moderate Charges. J. W. OSBORNE, Proprietor and Manager.

VICTORIA HOTEL, TELEGRAMS, VICTORIA, SHAMEEN. SHAMEEN, CANTON. ON THE BRITISH CONCESSION. F. F. DE BEAUREPAIRE, Manager.

MACAO HOTEL.

THEEGRAMS, FARMER, MACAO, MACAO, OHINA. In the Centre of Praya Grand, BOTH Hotels Electrically Lighted and under Experienced European Management. Every Comfort and Convenience for Residenta and Tourists. WM. FARMER, Proprietor. Capt. T. AUSTIN, Manager.



Comprising :-CONDEMNED NAVAL STORES :- IRON and LAMPS, Tools, Files, Boilens, Old IRON THE BANK OF TAIWAN and METAL, ELECTRIC CABLE, CANVAS RAGS, COAL SACKS, OLD INDIA RUBBER,

OLD AND SURPLUS VICTUALLING STORES:-Câtalogues will be issued. TERMS OF SALE:—As Customary.

Government Auctioneers. Hongkong, May 4, 1907. PUBLIC ADDITION.

HUGHES & HOUGH.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from C. F. SMITH, Esq., to sell by Public Auction,

THURSDAY, 23rd May, 1907, commencing at 2.45 P.M., at his Residence, No. 11,

HUMPHREYS AVENUE, Kowleon,-

THE WHOLE OF HIS VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Comprising: TEAR SIDEBOARD, OVERMANTEIR, DINING Table, Dining Chairs, Upholstered

CHAIRS, BRASS FENDER, CARPETS, RUGS, CURTAINS, GLASS, and CROCKERY WARE, etc., etc., Double and Single Bedsteads, WARDRODE, MARBLE-TOP WASHSTAND, TOI LET TABLES, etc., etc. TERMS :- As Customary On View from Wednesday, the 22nd

GEO. P. LAMMERT, Hongkong, May 17, 1907.

> PUBLIC-AUCTION. O. J. No. 120 or 1906.

Hon. Mr E. A. Hewett-So it is quite ! THE Undersigned have received instructions from Mr H. Percy Smith, The

SATURDAY _at_Социомау Вау,---(as she now lies), The Steam Launch

HUNG YIOK, Built of Teakwood in 1901.

She was recently overhauled by Messrs JTHE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA Goo. Fenwick & Co. Mr E. A. Ram-It would save time to | A Steam Launch will leave Blake Pier at 10.45 a.m. to convey intending pur- INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1853.

> TERMS :-- As usual. HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers.

Hongkong, May 10, 1907. PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, SATURDAY, the 25th May, 1907, commencing at 2.30

P.M. at his SALES ROOMS, DUDDELL A FINE COLLECTION OF PAINTINGS IN OIL, by well-known European Artists,

Some Beautiful Tonkin Embroideries on French Silk), Comprising : PORTIERES, BEDSPREADS, TABLE COVERS. CUSHION COVERS, WALL HANGINGS, DRAWERIES, etc., etc. On View from Friday, the 24th May, Catalogues will be issued.

Terms :- Cash on delivery. GEO. P. LAMMERT, Hongkong, May 20, 1907.

THE FIRST CHINESE NEWSPAPER EVER ISSUED UNDER PURELY NATIVE DIRECTION.

THE LEADING CHINESE POLITICAL AND COMMERCIAN JOURNAL PUBLISHED EVERY MORNING.

CONTAINS THE MOST RELIABLE TELEGRAPHIC NEWS FROM NORTH CHINA.

ALL THE LATEST INTELLIGENCE FROM THE

VARIOUS PORTS IN CHINA AND JAPAN 56 per Annum delivered in Hongkong \$12.50 to all Coast Ports.

5 WELLINGTON STREET, HONGKONG, Orders booked by Manager, Cury. Man.

TS OHRISTIANITY WORT INTRODUCING INTO CHINA Reprinted from the CHINA MAIL. To be had at the 'OHINA MAIL' Office

Price ... 60 Cents.

8, Queen's Road Central.

Banks.

BANKERS:

On Fixed Diposits :-

LIMITED.

(INCORPORATED BY SPECIAL IMPERIAL

CHARTER).

HEAD OFFICE :- TAIPEH, FORMOSA

BRANCEES AND AGENCIES:

HONGKONG OFFICE:

Deposits recaived on terms which may be

YOKOHAMA SPECIE

BANK,

ESTABLISHED 1880.

CAPITAL PAID-UP ... You 24,600,000

BRANCHES AND ACCHOICES:

Korr.

SAN FRANCISCO. HONOLULU. BOMBAT.

LYONE.

PERING.

DALHY.

MUKEN.

HEAD OFFICE-YOKOHAMA.

Horozona-Interest allowed.

On Current Account at the Rate of 2

ON FIXED DEPOSITS :-

AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

HEAD OFFICE, LONDON.

PAID-UP CAPITAL... £800,000

RESERVE FUND £1,075,000

RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO-

On Fixed Deposits for 12 months 4

LLONGKONG AND SHANGHY:

RESERVE LABILITY OF \$10,000,000

COLET OF DIRECTORS :-

G. H. MELHURST, Esq.—Chairman, Hon. Mr W.J. GRESSON—Deputy Chairman

G. Balloch, Esq. 1.O.R. Lenzmann, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER!

Hongkong-J. R. M. SMITH.

MANAGER:

Shanghai — H. E. R. HUNTER.

LONDON BANKERS-LONDON AND COUNEY

BANKING Co., LD.

Honghong-Interest Allowed.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS :--

For 3 months 21 per cant per annum.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on

Hongkong, January 18, 1907.

Banking Corporation,

J. R. M. SMITH,

Ohief Manager:

cent, per annum on the daily balance.

39

35 LB 35 4 12

Hougkong, April 5, 1907.

BANKING CORPORATION.

Hongkong, May 16, 1907.

Sterling Reserve, \$10,000,000

Silver Reserve ... 11,000,000

PROPRIETOES

RESERVE FUND-

A. Fuchs, Esq.

E. Goetz, Esq.

A. Haupt, Esq.

JOHN ARMSTRONG

Manager.

-821,000,000

A. J. Raymond, Esq.

E. Shellim, Esq.

R. Shewan, Esq.

TAKEO TAKAMICHI,

For 3 months.....3%

Hongkong, April 6, 1907.

Shortly to be increased to

Shortly to be increased to.

£1,475,000.

per annum on the daily balance.

HANGEOW. CHEFOO.

Reserve Funis 14,550,000

"S, DES VOLUE ROAD.

Kobe:

Osaka.

Nagasaki.

Shanghai.

EVAN ORMISTON.

Manager.

Tainar.

Tameul.

Tokio.

Manager.

NEW YORK.

NEWCHWANG

Tie-Ling.

Yokohama.

RESERVE FUND.

Hongkong, May 1, 1907.

Balance.

Keelung.

Swatow.

London.

SHANGHAL.

PORT ARTHUR.

CHANG-CHUN.

TENTOIN.

LLOYANG .

loarnt on application.

Hongkong, April 5, 1907.

MEROANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

FISCAL AGENTS OF THE UNITED STATES IN CHINA, THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS AND THE REPOBLIO OF PANAMA: LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LISPTED. CAPITAL AND SURPLUS AUTHORISED.Goto \$10,000,000 INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts

at the rate of 2% per annum on the Dally RESERVE FUND......GOLD & 3,250,000 HEAD OFFICE-60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK.

Banks.

NTERNATIONAL DANKING

CORPORATION. D

LONDON' OFFICE-THREADNEEDIE HIGHE

LONDON BANKERS: BANK OF ENGLAND. National Provincial Bank of England, Ital The Capital and Counties Bank, Ltd.

BRANCHES & ACENTS ALL OVER THE WORLD.

MHE Corporation Transacts every description of Banking and lixcharge business, receives money in Current Account at the rate of 2% per annum on daily balances and accepte Fired Deposits at the RESERVE FUNDYEN 635,000. following rates :--

B per cent per annum. No. 9, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAR;

OHAS. R. SCOTT. Hongkong, January 9, 1907.

MAATSOHAPPIJ.

ESTABLISHED 1824.

HEAD AGENCY :- BATAVIA. BRANCHES:-Singspore, Penang. Shanghai, Rangoon, Samarang, Sourabaya, Cheribon, Tegal, Pecalongan, Pascercean, Tjilatjap, Padang, Modan (Deli), Palembang, Kota-Radja, (Acheen) Telek-Semawe, (Acheen) Bandjermasin.

(Acheen) Bandjermasin.

Correspondents at Macassar, Bombay.
Colombo, Madras, Pondicherry, Calentta,
Bangkok, Salgon, Haiphong, Hanoi, Amoy,
Yokohama, Kobe, Melbourne, Sydney,
New York, San Francisco, &c., &c.
London Bankers:—The Union of
London and Smith's Bank, Limited.

The Bank-buys and sells and receives for
collection Bills of Exchange, Issues letters
of credit on its Branches and correspondents in the East, on the Continent in Great

INTEREST ALLOWED On Current Accounts 2% per Annum on daily balances. Fixed Deposits 12 months 41% per Annum. 8 months 4 %

Hongkong, March 5, 1907, THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA

AUTHORISED CAPITAL PAID-UP CAPITAL CAPITAL RESERVE FUND £ 12,756

LONDON BRANCH: 61. OLD BROAD STREET, E.O. MANAGER :- GEORGE MUNEO. LONDON BANKERS -Parr's Bank.

Commercial Bank of Scotland. The Bank grants drafts and telegraphic transfers and conducts every description of Eastern Banking business. INTEREST allowed on Current Account INTEREST allowed on Current Account at the rate of 2 % per annum on the Dally at the Rate of 2% per annum on the Daily On Fixed Daposits for 12 month 5 per cent.

> UAPITALRoubles 15,000,000 CAPITAL contributed by UHINESE GOVERNMENT ... 5,000,000 K. Thels. RESERVED FUNDRoubles 4,416,000.

ORGANISED UNDER IMPERIAL DEGREE OF

10TH DECEMBER, 1895.

London Office: 41, Threadneedle St., E.C. H. E. Tomeins, Esq. BRANCHES AND AGENCIES: Peking Andiion Khokand Batoum Samarkand Kiachta. San Francisco Kirin Blagowest Shanghai Kebe chensk Stretensk Kouldja. Tashkend Boukhara Krasnoisrak Kwantchendzo Tchita Busk Tchongontchair Calcutta Lisoyang London Merguelan Tientsin 🚁 Tsitsihar Halthodate Moscow On Current Account at the rate of 2 per Verchneou-Moukden Hankow dinsk Harbin Nagasaki Verny Vladivostock Newchwang Nicolajevsk · Yokohama Kalgan Kashgar Ourga Zeiekaia

> BANKERS: LONDON—Glyn, Mills, Currle & Co. PARIS-Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris. Banque de Paris et des Pays Bas. VIENNA-K. R. Priv. Cesterr. Credit

and the second of the second s Interest Allowed: Current Accounts in Dollars 24 per cent. per annum on credit balances of \$1,000 1100 or more to the HONGKONG AND and over. Fixed Deposits. Terms on application. Local Bills discounted. Special facilities FIXED DEPOSIT at 4 PER OR IT, per for Russian exchange. Foreign exchange

> HONGKONG BRANCH: RINGE'S BUILDINGS. Hongkong, April 1, 1907.

For 12 months 41 per cond per aunum. 4 per cent per annum.

MEDERLANDSCHE TANDEL Interest allowed on Carrent Account.

Honokong.

(NETHERLANDS TRADING SOCIETY)

...Fl. 45,000,000 (£3,750,000) CAPITAL RESERVE FUND Fl. 5,000,000 (£ 417,000). HOAD OFFICE IN AMSTERDAM.

Britain, America, and Australia, and tran eacte banking business of every description.

Do. 3 months 81% Do. J. L. VAN HOUTEN, Agent.

HEAD OFFICE :- HONGKONG.

G. C. MOXON,

Managing Director. Hongkong, September 28, 1908. Russo-Chinese

HEAD OFFICE—ST. PETERSBURG.

Khabarovak Paris

Anstait for Handel Gewerbe. MSTERDAM-Lippmonn, Rosenthal

on the principal cities of the world bought.

For the Hongkong and Shanghal E. FREYVOGEL, Manager J. R. M. SMITH, Chief Manager.

THE business of the above Bank is con-BERLIN-Mendelssohn & Co. duoted by the HONGKONG AND HAMBURG-M. M. Warburg & Co. SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-TION. Rules may be obtained on ap-& Co. INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 31 PER CENT. per amum. Depositors mey transfer at their option balances of

J. & F. Martell's

Cognac.

This Firm's Cognac, even the cheapest quality, is a rapid and trustworthy Restorative in cases of diseases, and its moderate use as an Article of Diet for adults is usually beneficail.

HOSPITALS USE IT IN PREFER-ENCE TO OTHER BRANDS.

THE LEADING HOTELS STOCK IT.

Call for it and see that you get it

§ 12 Bottles. ONE STAR, Per Case, ... \$25

THREE STIRS

V.S.O.P. VVBO.F

SOLE AGENTS:

H. PRICE & CO.,

Wine Merchants, 12. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

TELEPHONE No. 13°.

ALEXANDRA.

BUILDINGS.

SPECIAL DISPLAY

Children's

Outfitting

Wm. POWELL, Ld., HONGKONG.

WEEKLY NEWS FOR HOME.

The Overland China Mall

Published to suit the Departure of each English and French Mail Steamer to Europe,

FULL REPORTS AND ALL THE LATEST INTELLIGENCE (Commercial, Shipping, etc.)

The best paper for posting to friends at FOR-SALE at The CHINA MAIL! OFFICE. 217 per Annum (including Postage) THE CHINA MAC. LD.

8, Queen's Road Central. TREACHING THE GOSPEL

JAPAN AND TIBET!

By Prof. E. H. PARKER On sale at the 'China Man 'Office. Queen's Road Central.

LIMITED.

Half Cuffs

B16.80

DOZEN.

THE SAVOY, Ltd.

13, QUEEN'S ROAD.

HONGKONG.

AN EASY WAY TO ACQUIRE . . .

MONEY.

SEE THE

Limerick Competition

IN THE

HONGKONG

ISSUED EVERY

Saturday Morning.

PRICE 20 CENTS.

SUBSCRIPTION:

Per Annum, \$7; Per half-Per quarter; are used. year, \$4; **\$2.25**.

SECOND EDITION.

TISTORY OF THE CHURCHES OF India, Burma, Siam, The Malay PENINBULA, CAMBODIA, ANNAM, THIBET, COREA AND JAPAN, Entrusted to the Society of the MISSION ETRASGERES. Translated by EDWARD HARPER PARKER

Reprinted rom THE CHINA REVIEW.) Price 50 Cents. 8, Queen's Road Central.

A HISTORY OF UNION CHURCH.

TDY REV. G. H. BONDFIELD and D DYER BALL, M.R.A.S.

Edited by Rav. O. H. HICKLING: To be had at the CHINA MARE Office. 8. Queens Road Central.

AGENTS: ONDON: F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Coment's

Lone, Lombard Street, E.O. CLARKE, Connon Street, M.C. ROBERT WATSON, as a personal acknowledgment. 150, Fleet Street. C. MITCHELL & Co., Snow Hill, Holborn Viaduct, E.C. D. J. KEYMER & Co., 3, Whitefriars St., B.C. MATHER & CROWTHER, Ltd., 10, 11, 12 New Bridge St., E.C. MILTON & Co. 22 Glasshouse St.,

Regent St., W. ARIS AND EUROPE: MAYENDE, BAVRE & Co., 18 Rue de la Grange Bateliere, Paris. The Rev. Dr. HART, D. C.L., 12 Rue Vivienne, Paris.

NEW YORK:-THE CHINESE EVANGELIS OFBICE, 52, West 22nd Street. SAN - FRANCISCO and American Portgenerally : -Bean & Black, San Fran

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND :- Gordon & Gorde, Melbourne and Sydney.

OEYLON :-- W. M. SMITH & Co., THE APOTHECARIES Co., Colombo. INGAPORE, STRAITS, &c. :--KRLLY & Walsh, Ltd., Singapore.

son & Co., Manila. THE AMOY STORE. Foodhord, BROCKETT & Co. Shanghai, Kelly & Walsh, Ltd. Yokohama, Kelly & Walsh,

CHILIPPINE ISLANDS :- A. S. WAT-

THE OHINA MAIL, LTD., 8, Queen's Road Central.



WATSON

& Co., Ltd.

ÆRATED.

WATER

MANUFACTURERS.

In the manufacture of High-Class Mineral Waters the following are essential:-

URE WATER, UP-TO-DATE PLANT,

THE BEST OF MATERIALS,

EXPERT MANIPULATION

All these conditions are obtained Waters of our manufacture.

ABSOLUTE PURITY. Repeated analyses both locally and at home guarantee

UP-TO-DATE PLANT. Our policy is to continually introduce every modern and although such changes are invariably costly in the first instance the results attained in PERFECT AERATION and economics in working justify them.

THE FINEST MATERIALS only

those of their own manufacture.

These results have only been obtained through constant experiment, the adverse climatic conditions of Tropical Climates for the successful manufacture of High-Class Acrated Waters necessitating special study.

Our STONE GINGER BEER is went on a tour of investigation the only successful production of its kind In Propical Countries. It at once became popular and increasing sales testify to increasing popularity. Brewed from the finest Jamaica Ginger it is perfectly wholesome and is an ideal summer beverage.

WATSON & CO... LIMITED,

ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841. Hongkong, May 21, 1907.

RETURN THANKS

Mr Wei Yuk, on behalf of the brothers & PLATE, 85 Gracechurch St., and relatives of the late Mr WEI ON, desires A.C. G. BTELET & Co., Ltd., 30, Corn- hereby to sincerely thank their numerous Aill. Gordon & Gorre, 15 St. Bride friends for their kind sympathy in their St., M.O. BATES, HINDY & Co., SI, late bereavement. Friends—both Euro-Gannon Street, M.O. Wells, Ltd., 151 pean and Chinese—will kindly accept this

> MEMOS FOR TO-MORROW. Auctions. 10 a.m .- Auction of Sundry Naval and

Victualling Stores, at H. M. Naval 2.30 p m .- Auction of Household Furniture, at No. 11, Humphreys Avenue Kowloon.

Miscellaneous. Goods per Kusate Maru undelivered after this date subject to rent.

General Memoranda. BIDAY, May 24:-Exchange Banks Olesc.

Insuranço Offices Close. Goods per Benlomond undelivered after this date subject to rent. Goods per Cardiganshire undelivere after this date subject to rent. Goods per E. Franz Ferdinand undeli vered after this date subject to rent SATURDAY, May 25:--

2.30 p.m.—Auction of Oil-Trintings, &c., at Mr Goo. P. Lammert's Sales 9 p.m.-Concert on the Volunteer Parade

Morpay, May, 27:—
2,30 p.m.—Auction of Household Furniture, &c., at No. 3, the Albany. Tuesday, May 28 :---

Goods per Korea undelivered after noon this date subject to rent. Wednesday, May 29:-12.15 p.m.—Meeting of The Star Ferry Co., Ld., at Messrs Gibb, Livingston & Co.'s Office.

Goods per Scharnhorst undelivered after this date subject to rent. THURSDAY, May 30:—
9 p.m.—Performance at City Hall.

FRIDAY, May 31:-Noon.—Meeting of The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, at the City Hall.

SATURDAY, June 29:-Noon-Meeting of the National Bank of Chins, Ld., at the Bank Premises.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 1907.

JAPANESE IN MANCHURIA.

THE foreign press in the Far East divided on the subject of Japan's aspi- of inaccuracy of statement he incurs rations. Some journals see in move taken by Japan, especially Manchuria and Corea, evidence of spirit of antagonism to every other necessary action in the eyes of these prejudiced persons is distorted into a proof of the existence of a policy of elfish exclusion. On the other hand action of Japan, even where there may be reasonable doubt in regard to their wisdom and justice. It is a matter for congratulation to us that we have the war we did out utmost to neutra- ing themselves to find the means to send lise the flood of venomous misrepre- their wives and children to Japan, to sentations which was sent out from Chefoo, or to Weihaiwei, he would not the subsidised press in Shanghai and elsewhere. We rejoiced at the victory of Japan believing that her for Fleet Street, where the ignorance of success would prove more advantageous places abroad is unrivalled; but it is improvement in machinery and appliances, to the world generally than would hardly creditable to an excellent newsthat of Russia. At the same time we paper, which is striving to establish have always preserved our right to freedom of criticism and we have not been silent when we considered that Japan was failing to not up to her tion of Hongkong is inexcusable; but know." promises. We pointed out long since ENGLISH EXPERTS manage our that there seemed to be some departure ctories and our Waters are acknowledged from what the British understand by by leading English Makers to be equal to the expression "open door," in Manmerchants were being given preferential rates on the railways were so persistent that they could not be brushed aside as malicious inventions. The committee of Shanghai merchants who double system was introduced in spite Manchuria in their extremely guarded report stated that there was some oundation for the belief that preference was being shown to Japanese merchants but they seemed to be of

opinion that when the administration

passed from the military to the civil

authorities matters would readjust

been in control for the best part of

year but apparently conditions have

improved. Readers will have seen from find no lodgment there. With regard DW the telegram published recently that Dr G. E. Morrison, the Times' correspondent, has commented severely upon the obstruction to trade in Manchuria and Corea. An expression of opinion from such a quarter will go farther than any number of protests from other sources. The Times' correspondent has a great reputation at stake and he is not likely to give the endorsement of his name to mere idle rumour. may be taken as granted that he has definite knowledge which has decided him to issue this impressive warning. It is to be hoped that Japan will for her to commence antagonising her friends. That is what Dr Morrison, without any beating about the bush, 11 a.m.—Auction of Steam Launch Hung for her patriotism and military capacity has not realised his ambition. He is stated his determination to place the Yick, on Board, at Causeway Bay. it would be most regrettable if Japan, typical of a certain class of Fleet Street currency of China upon a gold basis, at by following a mistaken and selfish commercial policy, were to forfeit that particular about the details. The Noon—Meeting of Peak Tramways Co...

Ld., at Co.'s Registered Offices.

12.30 p.m.—Meeting of A. B. Watson & honour is at stake. She gratuitously ferences to Hongkong. He reminds us Co., Ld., at Co.'s Office. undertook the late war to secure the independence of Corea and to establish the open door in Manchuria. If she that there will be some difficulty about renewing the Anglo-Japanese alliance National credit is exactly the same as individual credit, "gained by many actions, lost by one." If Japan's word is shown to be untrustworthy in one particular it will always be accepted with reservation. There is still time for her to do the correct and wise thing, Will she do it?

Hougkong has a champion in Singapore: Treating on some comments out between Japan and Russin, Mr by Mr Dauglas Story on Hong. Story endeavoured to get to " kong, the Straits Times says: "Mr front" on the Japanese side, but, like Chinese Corporation and the Canton-Douglas Story is a journalist. This, others, was refused facilities. Then, in itself, is not sufficient to consign for a few months he was with Kurohim to the outermost darkness, but patkin, but, judging from his own when he adds to his original offence that book—one of the first to be published the heaviest penulty that can be meted about the war, if not actually the first, —he never got very near "the front." out to a member of the Fourth Estate. He returned early to London, and in In a review of "Lotters from the Far 1905 again came out to the Far East East" by Sir Charles Eliot, K.O.M.G .for The Tribune. During a visit to Mr Story is the Far Eastern "expert" The most harmless and of "The Tribune"—he wrote recently :-Peking, he sent some telegrams which had an alarming effect upon public opi-"It is of no moment to Sir Charles nion in England; so much so that Dr Eliot that, instead of a population of 40,000, the population of Hongkong in G. E. Morrison, then in London, hur-1904 was 361,206, of whom 18,900 ried back to Peking, and speedily rewere Europeans; or that, instead of assured the English public with one there are journals which acclaim every being a sanatorium, Hongkong possesses sanely-worded message to The Times. absolutely no form of drainage what. Mr Story takes pride in being antisoever, and that its epidemics are a blot Japanese; and he quotes Sir. Charles upon the record of the Crown administ Eliot with approval when the distintration of the Colony. Had Sir Charles guished traveller and writer ventures Eliot been in Hongkong at the time upon an admittedly superficial critinever gone to either extreme. During when the poorer Europeans were pinch- cism of certain traits in Japanese character. Mr Story may yet become a high-priest of English journalism, but unless he abandons the attempt to more serviceable colours, he will never accomplish any permanent effect or create an undying name for himself. If his "facts" about other places are as

have lauded the Colony as a healt "This sort of writing is good enough inacourately recorded as those about itself as the reputable and reliable organ Hongkong, he will only make himself of Liberall opinion in England an throughout the Empire. The mistake of Sir Charles Eliot about the populaso, also ara Mr Story's remarks regarding the drainage of Hongkong and the poorer European residents. When h says that "Hongkong possesses absolutely no form of drainage whatsoever BO Mr Story states not only what is not true, but he tells an exaggerated untruth. The complaint of the older funds for the representation of Corea residents of Hongkong has been, for many years, that it has too much drainage. Years ago, what is known as the of the reiterated protests of the British residents, and, curiously enough, these same residents attribute the recurrence of the devastating plague epidemics to the fact that the town of Victoria possesses this double system of drainage. One set of drains is for carrying off the storm water; the other carries the sullage water from dwelling houses: and the argument is that, if there were a better and more constant flow of themselves. The civil authorities have

that they are not in the habit of sending their wives and children from Hongkong to Chefoo, Weihniwei or Japan, A few of the residents-not the poorer Europeans-send their boys to boarding schools at Chefoo and Weihaiwei and Kiaochau; but that is simply because they either have not the facilities for selecting boarding schools in England or Germany or because they wish to have their children comparatively near at hand, so that, they may see them during the periodical holidays. We have a much longer acquaintance of of last year Hongkong than Mr Douglas Story, and, even in the terrible epidemics of 1894, 1896 and 1898, we never heard of any hearken and heed. Her position as one European residents so scared that they of the front rank powers is too insecure sent their women and children away Yuan Shih Kai's Determinafrom the Colony. From these questions of fact, it is interesting to inquire into Mr Douglas Story's qualifications as an expert on the Far East. He is a genial warns her she is doing. After winning Scotsman with an ambition to write golden opinions from the whole world like the late G. W. Steevens. So far, he men who write the lurid without being "copy" is readable, but not always made a solemn announcement that she of an eminent Fleet Street journalist of the new school" who went to the launch of a bat: I ship about two years ago, and sent back some beautiful penpictures but not a fact with regard to now declares that Corea's independence the warship he was sent to describe. is to cease and tries to shut out foreign Industrious sub-editors had to dig for opened on the 1st of July. trade in South Manchuria she will find | these in musty books of reference in the office library. After a spell of work as a war correspondent on the Boer side during the South Africa campaign, Mr Story went to Hongkong as the Editor of a new journal there. That was in 1903, and he travelled by way of Siberia. His watered G. W. Steevens' style amused for a time, and one or two of his leading articles, in which he British-Chinese Corporation, held an told the people that "death stalks the streets," may have done some good, though we doubt it. War breaking

to the poorer Europeans, we may say

and the journal for which he writes ridiculous in the eyes of people who A Seoul desputch says that Mr Hulbert, Editor of the late Korea Review, suddenly left the Corean Capital on May 9. It significant that about this date we received cable from Tokyo stating that great unrest had been caused in Corea in consequence of two foreigners trying to secure the Hague Conference. Mr Hulbert is the confidence of the Corean Emperor and the business now carried on by him under it is possible that he has been authorised. an Adjunct Licence on premises No. 65 to attend the Conference as the official representative of the country to ask powers to safeguard its independence.

"MAKE HAY WHILE THE SUN SHINES." THERE is a lesson in the work of the thrifty former. He knows that the

bright sunshine may last but a day and prepares for the showers which are likely to follow. So it should be with every household. Dysentery, diarrhora and cramp colic may attack some member of the home without warning. Chamber lain's Colis, Cholera and Diverho water through those drains, that rats for these diseases, should always be kept at hand, as immediate treatment is necessary. which come periodically into the houses and delay may prove fatal. For sale by all and spread the plague germs would chemists and storeksepers.

TELEGRAPH.

AMERICA'S WHEAT.

An Enormous Decrease.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter.

via Bombay). LONDON, May 21 New York experts forecast that the winter wheat crop of the United States will be 166,000,000 bushels below that

CHINA'S CURRENCY.

(From our Correspondent.) **SHANGHAI**, May 22. Yuan Shih Kai is reported to have

DALNY.

Custom House Opening.

" (From Our Correspondent) SHANGHAI, May 22. The Custom House at Tairen will be

CHINA'S RAILWAYS.

Another Loan Reported.

(From Our Correspondent.) SHANGHAI, May 22. Mr Bland, the ropresentative of the important conference with Chan Chih-

Tung at Hankow on May 14. It is reported that a loan agreemen for £2,000,000, between the British-Hankow Railway is being concluded.

MURDERS IN KOREA.

Sir Surveyors Killed.

(From Our Correspondent.) SHANGHAI, may 22, Six military surveyors have been murdered on the Tumen River in

North Korea. Judge L. R. Wilfley, of the U.S. Court at Shanghai, is at present in the Colony on his way to Canton. He leaves for the

Mr F. Groves, late Executive Engineer on the Shanghai-Nanking railway, has arrived in Hongkong on his way to Canton. Mr Groves takes charge of the Chinese section of the Kowloon-Canton Railway.

City of Rams to-night.

The following ladies and gentlemen, we are advised, have consented to assist at the forthcoming open air concert on Saturday night: Mesdammes Frank Maitland and J. paint impressionistic pictures of places W. Kew, Messrs Goldring, Kendall, and politics and fills his palette with Worcester, Macgregor, Jamieson, Moore, Courtney and Koenig (Cello). The Band of the Regiment will also be in attendance.

> Among the passengers on their way home by the German Mail is Mr F. W. Grimble from Kobe, a brother of Mr Geogra-Grimble. Freddie Grimble is a Hongkong boy, though he has been away from his birth-place for twelve years. Many of the older sports will remember him as a fine swimmer in the days before the V. R. C. moved away from its original site by the Naval Yard. We understand Freddie will bring his mother back with him when ho returns from his holiday.

Meeting of Police Magistrates and J.P's - A Meeting of Police Magistrates and Justices of the Peace for the Colony will be held at the Magistracy, at 2.15 p.m. on Monday, May 27, to consider an application from Louis Comar for permission to remove Des Voeux Road Central under the sign of 'The Cosmopolitan Hotel" to premises No. 39 Queen's Road Central.

An Interesting Exhibition. ___

The Arts Exhibition, now open at No-37 Queen's Road Central, near Messrs Look Hing and Company, has been rearranged and is now more that worth a visit. There are a number of art treasures which are worth seeing, including paintings, soulptures, tapestry, carving etc., while not the least interesting exhibit is the glass bodroom suite, and the Roman Remedy, which is the best known medicine | chair from the Vatican. The charge for admission is 50 cents and the proceeds are being devoted to the Canton Nam Keung Public College.

TELEGRAPH.

BIRRELL'S IRISH BILL.

Discussed at Dublin.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter, via Bombay).

LONDON, May 21.

The Irish National Conference opens at Dublin to-day.

Three thousand delegates have already arrived at the Irish city to attend the Conference. ...

Mr. A. Birrell's Irish Bill forms one of the chief topies to be debated and unless the Bill finds favour at the Conference its fate is sealed.

SPAIN'S NAVY

The New Proposals.

(Farturice Service, supplied by Renter, via Bamban).

LONDON, May 21.

Senor Juan Alvarado, the Spanish Minister of Marine, has announced the increased naval estimates for Spain.

These provide for the construction of three battleships of 15,000 tons each and several submarines, as well as the renevation of the docks ards

{REUTER'S SERVICE |

OBITUARY.

LONDON, May 20. The deaths are announced of Mr Conger the American ex-Minister to China, and o Sir Benjamin Baker.

DISTURBANCES IN PERSIA.

London, May 20. A telegram to St. Petersburg from Teheran states that serious disturbances have occurred at Tabriz, Resht, Kerman and Shiraz, the people calling on the Shah

SPAIN'S CROWN PRINCE.

confirm the constitution

London, May 20. The baptism of the Spanish Crown Prince was conducted with elaborate pomp; there was a long procession to the Chapel, sponsors, Princes, foreign Spain decorated the Prince with the order of the Golden Fluece and other orders.

STRIKE IN GERMANY.

LONDON, May 20. has culminated in a lock out of 50,000 men

in the building trade in Berlin. be put out of work.

THE STRIKE ON THE RAND.

LONDON, May 20. Johannesberg wires that at a meeting of delegates, within 27 miles, it was decided to call a general strike of the whites employed in all the producing mines, with the exception of the Robinson group which

THE ANTI-OPIUM MOVEMENT.

London, May 20. The Times Peking correspondent wires that the development of the anti-opium movement is encouraging.

on Friday. All the manufacturing Powers, except | Alice Memorial Hospital. Japan and Germany, have assented to the prohibition of morphia, except for medical

JAPAN IN MANCHURIA.

LONDON, May 20. Japan has placed an order in America of \$12,000,000, for the equipment of the South Manchurlan railway; high prices have been paid to ensure rapid delivery.

THE JAPANESE CRUISING SQUADRON.

London, May-20. The Japanese croisers "Chitose" and

THE STANDARD OIL CO.

LONDON, May 20. The report of the Commissioners to President Roosevelt says that the history virtual monopoly and a deliberate destruction of competition by under a dozen men,

who reaped enormous profits. COLDS AND PNEUMONIA. all cliemists and storekeepers.

THE POKFULUM MURDERS.

Verdict of Guilty.

The trial of Choung Tai, for the murder of Yim Hing and Yim Ming at Pokfulum, was concluded this morning, the jury returning a verdict of guilty.

His Lordship the Chief Justice (S) Francis Piggott) passed sentonce of death and the Court adjourned.

AN ATTEMPTED SUICIDE. Barmaid's Rash Act.

Miss Benson, a barmaid employed a Praya East, Hotel, made a determined attempt to commit-suicide last night, but fortunately the attempt was unsuccessful. From information to hand it appears that the barmaid was asked by her employer, late last night, to play the piano and she complied. Some time afterwards—she having discontinued playing in the meantime-she was again requested to supply some music, but this time she refused. Then, it is alleged, the licensee of the hotel told her that if she could not do jo she was told, she had better leave. Ap parently, she chose the latter alternative, for she left the bar and went up to 1 room. Some little time later one of the men went up to the room and knocked at the door. He received no roply and on peering over the top of the door saw the woman suspended from the bed-post. He then broke in the door, cut the woman down, and sent for assistance. . In about five minutes Miss Benson had recovered sufficiently to be removed to the Hospital. An enquiry will probably be held.

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE EXCHANGE QUESTION.

(To the Editor of the 'CHI & MAIL.') Sin, - In your last evening's editorial notice that you again attacked the Government over the profits made in exchange during last year, which, I submit, is not altogether fair.

I believe I am correct in saying that it was at their own wish that the Civil Government servants are only paid in sterling. so, the Government is at fault only in so far as acceding to the demand of its servants. For until the Colony's Revenue is collected pay its servants in that metal.

Further, there are other sufferers beside the Civil Government servants; yet not word is said on their behalf by either the charge of having taken the life of "CHINA MAIL" or any of the remaining three local papers. I can hardly think that the fact that a large number of commercial men are also being paid in gold is unknown to the local press .-- Yours, etc.,

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Legislative Council will be held on Thursday at 2.30 p.m. The Hon. Colonial Secretary will move

the following resolution :-and Dollars (\$2,433,00) be advanced out of Kowloon Canton Railway (British Section)

during the year 1907. The Hon. Attorney General will move the Second reading of the Bill entitled An of a Supplementary Sum of Four hundred A demand for an eight-hour work day and seventy-seven thousand eight hundred 1906: the Second reading of the Bill Fifty thousand more men will probably entitled An Ordinance to remove doubts Supreme Court of this Colony during the time that Alfred Gascoyne Wise, Esquire, held the office of Puisne Judge of such Court from the 25th day of June, 1902, down to the present time; the Second reading of the Bill entitled An Ordinance to amend the Bills of Exchange Ordinance, 1885; the Second reading of the Bil entitled An Ordinance to amend the Married Women's Property Ordinance, 1906; the Second reding of the Bill entitled Au Ordinanco to amend the Probates Ordin-

had complied with the demands of the ance, 1887. Hon. Dr Ho Kai will move the Second reading of the Bill entitled An Ordinance for the incorporation of the Hongkong College of Medicine.

It will not be long before water is let into the new naval dock. The work is almost completed. It will be some time The last opium den in Peking was closed | however before the plant is installed.

The Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memorial and Affiliated Hospitals begs to acknowledge with thanks the following donations to the funds of the Hospitals: -A Patient A Patient

Parsees are much better educated than i received when in the Cabin. any other Indians. In every 10,000 Parsee men 4,075 know English. Among the tion at the Tanglin Barracks.

An ingenious inventor las just patent ed a folding bod that can be carried on a motor car. The bed opens trellis-fashion. "Tsu Kube" have left New York for and when shut holds a mattress and pnoumatic pillows. When open it can be used also as a table; and when shut it can be made to serve as a front seat for a motor

--- An-electric-are-lamp, capable of officiently supplying the needs of underwater of the Standard Oil Corporation shows a illumination for ship salvage and other similar work, as well as for operations in explosive atmospheres, has been tried in the harbour of Aberdaen in connection with repairs effected on the dock gates there, without taking them out of position. It was found that a thorough examination of THERE can be no excuse for a man if the dock gates could be made by the aid of his allows a cold to develop into the lamb, and in order to demonstrate its pneumonia. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy power one of the divers returned for a counteracts any tendency towards this newspaper, and after descending to the disease and many doctor's bills have been bottom of the dock, a depth of 20 ft., read saved by its timely use. For sale by a portion of it through the telephone to those on the surface.

CONNAUGHT HOUSE HOTEL

Proprietors Sued.

In the Summary Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court this morning, before His Honour Mr A. G. Wise (Puisne Judge) the Teen Sing firm sued Wong Fung Slink, proprietor of the New Connaught Hotel, for \$108.45, goods sold and delivered.

Mr O. D. Thomson appeared for the plaintiff and Mr E. J. Grist for the defendant.

Mr Thomson stated that defendant went to the plaintiff firm representing that he was manager of the Hotel and told plaintiff that if they supplied the goods he would be personally liable. His name appeared

in the directory as proprietor. The Puisne Judge—I think I have given a lot of judgments against him. Mr Grist-I understand that he has been

sued before. The Puisne Judge-And never turned

Mr Grist-No, but I have subpoensed the correct proprietor now. The Puisne Judge-Well, will he pay

Mr Grist-I do not know. I am not appearing for him. Kwong Fu Yuen was called up. The Puisne Judge-This man has not been before me. He is a new introduc-

Kwong, when asked if he bought the goods, said-Who were the goods bought Mr Thomson-For the Connaught

Kwong—That is not I. Defendant admitted ordering some of the goods but denied that he held out as being a partner. There were eight partners in the Hotel, including Kwong Fu Yuen. The directory was produced and the Puisne Judge Remarked that it looked from that as though defendant was a partner, and after further questioning gave judgment for the plaintiff with costs, advising the defendant to sue the remaining partners for their contribution to the debt if he wanted them to pay their share.

BARRACKS TRAGEDY.

A Frenzied Drummer Stabs Two of His Comrades.

sad sequel to the funeral of comrade happened at the Barracks of the in gold, the Government had no right to of May 14, with the result that a drummer in the Fife and Drum Band of the Regiment has been arrested on comrade and wounded another.

When the last rites on the body o hand, who, died from a heat stroke on Manday, had been performed at the Bukit the Straits Times of May 15, the funeral party returned to the Barracks Tea was served and everything apparently went on as usual among the men until about ten minutes to ten, when a tragedy

Corporal Harley and Corporal Newall, who had witnessed the funeral, were sitting in their bunks in a little room, known as The It is hereby resolved that a Sum of Two Barracks building, chatting with one another, when in came Drummer Sandwell, armed with two bayonets, one in each hand. for the purposes of construction of the Newall and deliberately stabled him, causing a wound in his side. Newall suffering great pain, fell out of his bunk

on to the floor of the Cabin. Fearing that Sandwell would next turn Ordinance to authorize the Appropriation his attentions on him, Harley made a stock took and the Secretary keeps a delidesperate effort to escape. He succeeded in getting out of the Cabin, and, taking and forty-nine Dollars and fifty-three to his heels, ran through the dining room into the second Barracks on the other side of the building. But, he had not gone abuses. very far before Sandwell took up the chase. as to the validity of the proceedings of the Sandwell, who had speed on his side, made

a great effort to capture the terrified Corporal, and he was successful. While rushing wildly through a room, Harley slipped on the floor and fell, and, in doing so, he tripped Sandwell, who by this time had almost secured him. Sandwell fell heavily on to Harley, and, it is alleged,

stabled him with a bayonet. the attention of other soldiers, who on sums of money were owing to or by reaching the room, seized the drummer. the Sanitary Department. It was then ascertained that Harley had been stabbed twice just above the heart. Harley was conveyed immediately to the Hospital, but he succumbed on the way. Newall was taken to the Institution and

detained. Fortunately, his injuries are not regarded as serious; the bayonet struck There is no apparent motive for the crime as Sandwell is given a good character by the Military Authorities and was not in

drink at any time. Besides, he is greatly carrying on business under the name of respected by his comrades. The Chief Police Officer is of the opinion that Sandwell had become frenzied through some reason or other. It is obvious that obtain the small stores contract. the crime is that of a madman.

sentative of the Straits Times, are to the effect that a trail of blood was discovered | \$300 was paid by this partnership trading from the Cabin to the room where both men fell, but it is not known whether it came him to retire from the field and not tender from the bayonet Sandwell had in his possession when he chased Harley, or whother

Hindus only sixty-four in 10,000 speak | The deceased was 22 years of age, and

the accused is several years older. Shortly before noon, Mr Alex Gentle, the Corener, held a preliminary inquiry at Tanglin Barracks into the circumstances of the tragedy. He obtained sufficient ovid- the goods should have awakened suspicion, ence to justify an adjournment of the and points to jobbery in the way of short. inquest till Friday afternoon.

he is not in any danger.

above Harley. The Coroner informed a representative !. of the Straits Times that he believes that "drink was at the bottom of the crime." though he was assured that Sandwell was not in drink at the time he committed the

evidence as to picking up the accused from

SPRAINS QUICKLY CURED. TATHE the parts freely with Chamber-D lain's Pain Balm and give them absolute rest an | a quick cure is certain. For sale by all-chemists and storekeepers.

THE SANITARY COM-MISSION.

A Matter of Book-keeping.

On the question of accounts the Commissioners who inquired into the administration of the Public Health and Building Ordinance reported as follows :-

The constantly increasing expenditure of the Sanitary Department has not un naturally attracted a considerable amoun of the public attention. The annual amount spent in this Department has largely increased of late years, but the gain to the Colony has not been commensurate with this enormous expenditure.

This increase is chiefly due to the steps taken to eradicate buhonie-plague in the

In spite however if all efforts plague has not decreased, but varies according to the climatic conditions of the senson as well as the season itself, in much the same ratio as in Canton, where no steps are taken to deal scientifically with this scourge. It is open to question therefore whether

considerable saving might not be effected without in any way impairing the sanitary condition of the Colony. This however is Committee. He therefore cannot lay any a debatable point, and is probably more a matter of policy than of the administration. on the shoulders of the Board. The financial question has in part been dealt with under other headings, such as throughout the Department a general want of system and proper supervision, which would not be permissible in an ordinary business firm, and which must lead to un-

due waste and extravagance. The Estimates as now framed are drawn up by the Administrative. Head of the Sanitary Department in consultation with the Medical Officer of Health. It is claimed that he alone is responsible under the terms of Ordinance 23 of 1903 for this work. And the senior Officials of the Department have all stated in evidence that if the Board as a body has been consulted with regard to the Estimates, this is only as a matter of courtesy, and not that they have a right to be so con-

On two recent occasions the Board one year was asked to pass the Estimates extending over many pages and amounting to some \$400,000; at a minute's notice, and without any time being given for their. consideration. The next year even the form of submitting the Estimates to the Board was dispensed with.

The Estimates of the Sanitary Departmen form a very important item in the Colonial Budget, and as such it is fitting that the Sanitary Board should have full oppor-Royal West Kent Regiment, on the night tunity of considering and discussing them hefore submitting them to Your Ex-

Under existing conditions, it would appear that the rate payers though directly represented on the Sanitary Board have no more control over the expenditure of the Sanitary Department than the ordinary tax payer has over the expenditure of any Private George Kemp, a member of the Government, that is to say that the sole opportunity offered for discussing the Estimates is when the Budget is presented to Timah Road Cemetery, last evening, says the Legislative Council. This right of control so far as the Sanitary Department is concerned, formerly possessed, has been taken away by the passing of the Ordinance

Nearly half a million, dollars per annum are expended by the Sanitary Department. yet no proper books are kept in the Department of this vast expenditure. There is neither a journal nor ledger and the so Cabin, situated at the extreme end of the called cash book is merely an apology for the name, and for all practical purposes is merely a replica of the Bank pass books The smallest firm in Hongkong could not-Funds in the custody of the Government Without any warning he rushed up to conduct its business satisfactorily with such books, and it is probable that many individuals keep much better records of

their own private affitirs. It is true there are a few auxiliary books. For instance, the stock keeper keeps a very order book, but as there is no check on these, such as would be the case if a proper journal and ledger were kept, they are almost valuel as as a protection against

As regards the stock books kept at the District Offices, the Secretary said : "As a matter of fact I have nover seen these accounts (stock books). When I want any information. I have always had it, therefore, as far as I know, the store accounts are kept.'

order counterfoils (which are easily lost or The cries of the wounded man attracted | destroyed) for an auditor to know what All the correspondence of the Depart-

ment, unless marked confidential, has been first opened and road by a Chinese clerk, before being passed on to the Secretary. Another Chinese clerk has been in the habit of franslating contractors' accounts and rendering their bills for them to the Department in English. The possibility of abuses under such a system is obvious. Further, the same clerk has been in co-partnership with one Au Sui Shang the Man Hing. The Man Hing shop was started with the sole object of obtaining the Sanitary Department contracts and did passengers united in thanking Captain small stores contract was formely held Sandwell is in the custody of the Military | Lui Chi. As Lui Chi would not allow Lo Mun Kai a share of the business, the latter Later particulars, gleaned by a repre- arranged apartnership with AuSui Shangand obtained the contract. Subsequently \$200 or as the Man Hing to Lui Chi "to induce The Man Hing firm wore always able to retain the small stores contract it came from a wound Harley might have | because Lo Man Kai, knowing the lowest

should be reduced. The fact that the Man Hing, a shop with virtually nothing but a signboard as their stock-in-trade, that is to say middle men pure and simple, being able to undersell the very persons from whom they bought deliveries. The Secretary did in fact get stunned and dropped to the deck. A military doctor told Mr. Gentle of the as far as " wondering how they could supply fish was found to measure 23 inches from injuries both the deceased and Newall re- the goods at the prices." The same clerk tip to tip and the occurrence was witnessed coived, and the opinion was expressed that (Lo Man Kai) was also a partner with Sam by the third officer, Mr Eirman. Mr Allcaused his death. One of them penetrated, vancy contract at Yaumati, (Sam Iu being and Mr Eirman has taken his place. the heart. So far as Newall is concerned, formerly a scavenging ecolic) but subsequently sold his share of the business to A Private of the West Kents gave his partner the said Sam, Iu. Soon after

> Man Kai absconded. It frequently happens that Inspectors recommend the quantity of stores to be ordered as well as the source of supply, and their requisitions initialled by the Medical Officer of Health are signed by the Secretary or chopped with his chop. chopped, the Inspectors frequently obtain office during office hours. Here again the about a permanen care. For sale by all such as of the hawker or coolie order, cannot possibility of abuse is obvious. Although chemists and storckcepers.

there is no evidence to show that such has been the case, under the existing system there is nothing to prevent an Inspector only taking delivery of part of the goods specified in such requisitions and receiving a monetary consideration from the supplier for the undelivered portion. There is no check of any kind other than a possible casual enquiry by the Medical Officer

Health or the Secretary. The Acting Principal Civil Medica Officer claimed to supervise all payments, but said they did not pass through his hands. He would know the money voted by the Legislative Council had been spent but would not know how it had been spont. claimed to supervise all payments but admitted in the earlier part of his examination that proper books were not kept. He had had "to complain of them over and over again". Subsequently be qualified this statement. Under all the foregoing circumstances, it is not difficult to conceive that corruption would be rife, as it was rife in the very heart as it were of the

Department. The Principal Civil Medical Officer claims to be the administrative head of the Sanitary Department but there is nothing in-the evidence before the Commission to show in what way this has been effective. Under the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance No. 23 of 1903, his powers have been made almost despetic while the functions of the Board itself have been whittled down to those of an Advisor of the blame for the existing state of affairs

To quote from the Landowners' Petil the worst."

with some commercial training, preferably a book-keeper, and should be of Britisl Finally, we recommend that proper books, that is, a cash book, journal and ledger be kept. Also as an auxiliary book one containing complete records of all contracts for materials supplied to or sold

by the Sanitary Department and all monies and goods disbursed or received there-The store keepers should furnish the Secretary with a weekly return of all goods received by them as well as those delivered by them to the different Inspectors in the Health Districts which they supply. A summary of these returns should be passed through the journal and ledger at least monthly so that the Secrotary may be in a position to know, at any

time, what quantities of the various kinds of stores are or should be in hand. The Department should acquire all its own stores and distribute to the various be allowed to make direct requisitions on

contractors. That all correspondence be first opened by the Secretary or the Assistant Secretary. That the use of a chop be discontinued, and that the composition of the staff in all the more important posts be entirely

An attempt is to be made to refloat the E. and A. S.S. Co. steamer "Australian" who was a passenger on the steamer when the Board's Officers is only to carry she went down, has purchased the wreck but the laws to the letter, and would voted in favour of his motion which was and is chartering a salvage steamer to not, in the least, allow necessity to eventually carried. (Vide issues of our vessel still shows above water but is in a take the patient away in an ambulance in posed will be carried into effect and result difficult position, owing to the dangerous | the presence of his nearest relatives, who | in the modification of the Board's existing coral reefs and heavy currents. Even if in vain weep and wail over the separation. stringent and drastic laws. We hope they the vessel is not refloated it is possible The saddest of all such sad spectacles is that will ere long be regulated both by principle Captain Strachan will clear his outlay by of a sick child who is to be surrendered to placed in a better position to follow them, salving portions of the steamer with the the Sanitary Officials and who, but a short thereby ensuring a total cessation of this aid of divers. The Captain owns the ketch while ago, with his sweet childish fancies vicious practice. What has been proposed

Fau Sang, was charged at Singapore with he might not be ailing. He is now carrying 187 passengers in excess of the down with some disease which has given Lau Chu Pak, who are founders of the licensed number, and was fined \$25. He untold anxiety to his parents who have was liable to a fine of \$1000. Captain passed mealless days and sleepless nights Malkim said that the steamer belonged on his account. He is now suspected and to meetings, explaining to them that such to the Indo-China Steam Navigation Com- officially marked out, and is at the mercy Chinese, that the object they aim at is to pany of London. He instructed the Chief Officer to line up the passengers when two days out of Singapore and he had done so It would be impossible without turning and reported that there were 957 on board, it can well be imagined, is too much to up files of old papers, vouchers and delivery They were also tallied by the harbour authorities in Hongkong. He could not idea of their dearest one, unaccustomed as the sick can go there for aid. If any understand how the excess occurred unless the compradore had stowed away the 187 surplus, in one of the holds. The moment boisterous strangers. Would they not choose European or Chinese treatment. the ship arrived at the wharf, the compra- naturally be in affliction over what will He is not bound to take the medicine dore stepped on shore and had not been seen since. The passengers were counted in Hongkong at 11 a.m. and the ship sailed at grieve at not being allowed the parents' a permit to do so, and if he died of

The Pacific Mail Company's s.s. "Korea" arrived yesterday from San Francisco, with big passenger list. The trip across the Pacific was a splendid one and all the Sandberg for his efforts, which enabled

them to pass so pleasant a time. The barber's camera was a source of great amusement. With this machine, the better be imagined than described. Of the cleansing, the Board will make it good invention of Mr L. Berhan himself, photographs can be taken at night, and it child is returned to them recovered, can well be imagined that there were many but if he dies, would it not pain their heart opportunities of testing the camera on to think they did not give him their last the trip accross. It is reported that the tender, was in a position to tell Au Sui | patent for the camera has been sold to the The tragedy has caused much consterna- Shang to what extent (if any) his tender Japanese, and though the exact figures have not transpired, it is believed to be in the neighbourhood of \$10,000.

On the "Korea's" voyage to San Francisco a rathor peculiar incident happoned. Mr. Allman, the second officer. so severely was he injured that he was

RHEUMATISM MAKES LIFE

the Commission commenced sitting, Lo MISERABLE. Having got their requisitions signed or from these rheumatic pains also by apply. are liable to be presecuted for delivery direct from contractors. The application will give you relief and its requires. A rich family certainly can Secretary's chop is left lying about the continued use for a short time will bring afford to pay the fine but the poor man

A Chinese Newspaper View.

The following is a free translation of the

views of the Wa Tsz Yat Po (The Chinese Mail) on the dumping of Dead Bodies : Man is instinctively led by nature to try to fare well and die happy. This is what we call an ideal existence in as much as life is nurtured and gratified as long as its timopieco is running, and committed t The Principal Civil Medical Officer also | the Rest of Peace, as soon as its machinery runs down. This is consistent with both the law of nature and the am bition of man. Our ideal is "earth to earth," and no Chinaman is over poor and deprayed ha to give up his hope of being returned to the earth by burial to take his over-lasting rest If he happened to die in a foreign country, distance, however great, would not prevent his relatives from conserving his remains and returning them to his native home. If he died a pauper, his poor relatives would raise subscriptions to meet the cost of encoffining him and his burial. Even the mere bones of dead friends, whitened by age or from exposure, are gathered up and scrupulously treasured. To him it is one of the greatest misfortunes imaginable, evil of dumping the dead is practised in if his dead body is cast on to the street or Hongkong. Thus they fly in the face of to His Excellency the Governor, dated committed to the deep or exposed to the the law with their eyes wide open, and for Accounts, Disinfectants, &c. But there is 26th September, 1902, "With an ideal wild elements, after he has gone the way of man (whose successors at least could not flesh. An exemplication of the implicit asserting itself, may calm down a little most convenient as it is otherwise certainly faith in this belief is found in a quotation to look back on the untold affliction from Confucius, "Am I to breathe my last and anxieties that had already proyed The Assistant Secretary should be a man | in the street or on the way side." So the reasons are not far to seek to prove that the Government in order to deter the the Chinese in all ages have attached un- evil of casting away dead bodies, proposed disguised importance to their dead bodies to cremate them whenever they were found,

after their demise. The question has now cropped up, what are the motives of the Chinese for abandoning their bodies and how is it that it has been done to such an alarming extent of recent years. The answer is they cannot help themselves; they do it under pressure, was that only a few applications were made, and not without a feeling of the greatest and the dumping of the dead bodies was remorse. Some years back owing to the appearance of plague, a vigorous campaign was made against houses contaminated with plague or other infectious diseases. Recently the outbreak of smallpox was very violent, and the measures adopted for combating such diseases have been conducted with equal rigidity. The Sanitary dopôts. On no account should Inspectors laws require persons suffering from or even suspected of having plague, etc., to be removed to the hospital for, trentment and the addresses at which such diseases are found, reported to the Sanitary Board. There is no question that these put forward three resolutions at the last measures are enforced for the sake of public health, and on this broad humane

principle, the actions of the Board cannot be anything but well meant. But it seems which was wrecked on Vashon Head, North | to forget that the severest of all laws are Australia, last year. Captain Strachan, not devoid of sentiment. The business of assist in the work of refloatation. The | yield to sentiment. They forcibly "Envy" and has been engaged pearling and smiles and laughter, was "a jewel in more thoughten discount of the smiles and laughter, was "a jewel in more thoughten discount of the smiles and laughter, was "a jewel in more thoughten discount of the smiles and laughter, was "a jewel in laughter, was "a jewel and trading at Port Darwin for some years. | the hands of his parents" and a sunshine | ing of dead bodies is almost a matitself in the home. How fondly, tenderly ter of every day occurrence this year, Captain Henry S. Malkim, of the steamer and anxiously has he been cared for that though there has only been a few

of the Sanitary Officers, and with them he must go and be committed to the hands of strangers. At this the griof of the parents, bear and too much for words. Alas! the ed for the benefit of the Chinese and he is to the world, having to be torn Chinese patient is found suffering from away from their bosom by rough and Hospitals he is at perfect liberty to either presently occur to their sick child? prescribed by these Hospitals. He can Would they not wail over his fate and going home to his country he can be given privilege of devoting their utmost and plague; no post mortem examination will tenderest care to his illness? From what be held upon his dead body. they have seen of heard, they fear that their child after being forcibly removed floor alone. The disinfection and cleaning from home, might die of fright, if not of will be done under the supervison of the the disease. Would not all these reflect Free Hospital doctor or its secretary, to tions and anxieties rend their hearts and see that the cleansing coolies do no damage break thom down with anguish? They are regards the inmates in the same floor only not allowed to see their child, so the the garments on their persons would be affliction and sorrow in which they disinfected; the clothing-kept elsewhere pass their long and wenried hours can course they will rejoice when the by payment of compensation. kisses at his death-bed, when recalling the memory of the sad incident !

Now, to speak in generality, the law provides heavy fines for not reporting cases arrangements are certainly gratifying and of infectious diseases. If the cases are should be all that the Chinese could desire, reported the Chinese will have their dear ones removed from them to their great grief; throwing away dead bodies. It behoves was struck in the ribs by a flying fish, and they would, therefore, in order to avoid a then all Chinese residents in Hongkong possible afflictive loss, rather keep their to reciprocate the good intentions of The children and leave the law alone. They also have misgivings about calling in a doctor our countrymen still have misgivings or because they are afraid the doctors may give scruples about the Sanitary laws, ho has cither of Harley's would have In who held the scavenging and conser- man has remained in Frisco for this trip, information to the authorities if the invalid only to read the notices issued by the is found suffering from an infectious disease. Hence they would rather have the sick die in the bosom of their family than have them | undisturbed. Are not these notices good removed, for in the latter case, they would A happy home is the most valuable pos- be deprived of their privilege of seeing A grasion that is within the reach of them or hearing thom. This refers only forts if you are suffering from rheumatism. when a sick person is concealed at home, You throw aside business cares when you but when he is dead, and found to have enter your hone and you can be relieved died of any infectious disease, they ing Chimberlain's Pain Balin. One not making the report as the law

The

MINIATURE GRAND

STEINWAY a work of creative art which stands

alone-unqualifiedly THE BEST. PIANOS

by all other Loading Makers

FOR SALE OR HIRE At PRICES consistent with quality and BASED ON PRESENT RATE OF

EXCHANGE pay his fine and consequently has to pay is penalty by going to gaol. This ex plains the circumstances under which the but it is desired that the law before upon the minds of such culprits. They have already suffered. Some years ago, and rumour had it that it was poverty that drovo the Chinese to give up their dead and that it was done to avoid the cost of burying them. To test the truth of this, Mr Ho Tai Shang advertised, through the press, his voluntary offer to supply coffins gratis for dead persons -whose, relatives were too poor to provide them. The result as bad as ever. This shows clearly that the evil is not due to poverty but to the laws of the land. To sum up, we admit that the sole object of the Sanitary Board in taking these measures is to promote the health of the community at large in Hongkong, and it is only right that Sani tary laws should be made to achieve this end, but while dwelling upon this principle, we cannot but sigh and say that it is a pity that these laws are a gross inconvenience to Chinese surroundings, habits and ways, and this accounts for the increase of bodies dumped in the streets. The Hon. the Registrar General who always feels solicitude for the welfare of the people, being actuated by well-meant and kind motives, has meeting of the Sanitary Bourd, for the purpose of amending the Sanitary regulations and relaxing its rigidity with a view to check the evil of dumping. Further than this, Messrs Fung Wa Chun and Lau Chu Pak carnestly described the difficult position of the Chinese and heartily supported Mr Brewin's action. majority of the Board's members also paper of the 4th and 5th of this moon). We trust that what Mr Brewin has pro-

General and Messrs Fung Wa Chun and public free Hospitals, have invited by turns the Kaifong of the different districts persuade the Chinese to forbear from dumping. We learn that these Hospitals are provided with doctors and secretaries of their own choice, who are not in the employ of the Government. They are creatplague after examination at any of these that will be done is to cleanse the on the floor, would be left untouched. If any articles are damaged or broken during

For dead bodies of children under 3 years brought to the Hospitals, a remuneration of \$1 each will be given to the carrier and the Hospital will bury them. As regards dead bodies of adults who died of plague, they could be transported to the native home of the deceased, provided their cases are reported to these Hospitals. These and it must be borne in mind that they are solely made to dissuade the Chinese from the officials and the Chinese representatives on the Sanitary Board. Should any of

Registrar General informing that the living shall henceforth live in perfect peace, and the dead shall be left enough to dissipate the fears and enxieties we have all this time entertained? We earnostly hope that our countrymen will henceforth refrain from perpetrating this offence. How happy we shall be, if they will discontinue this scandalous practice

GET IT TO-DAY. MHAMBERLAIN'S Colic. Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy cures diarrhoea and dysentery in all forms and in all stages. It never falls. For sale by all

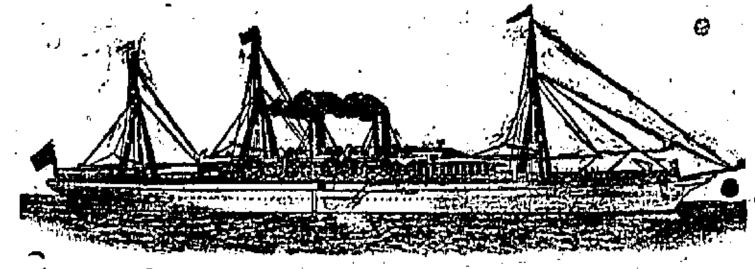
chemists and storekeepors.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGA-PENINSULAR TION COMPANY

WILL deepatch VESSE	ethambre	to stil on	BENTHER.
SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, MOJI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA	SOCOTRA	About 25th May.	Freight only.
FPANGHAL.	Capt. R. A. Perens	} About 30th } Msy.	Freight and Passage,
LUNDON, VIA UBUAL PORTS	Capt. W. HAYWARD, B) Noon, lat.	} Bee Special Advertisemen
LONDON & ANTWERP	NORE Capt. G. Philifs	About öil June.	Freight and Passage.

COMPANY'S RAILWAY PACIFIC CANADIAN ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE,



LUXURY-SPEED-PUNCTUALITY. The only Line that MAINTAINS a Regular Schedule Service of 11 Days across SAVING 5 TO 10 DAYS OCEAN TRAVEL. the Pacipio is the 'EMPRESS LINE.'. 11 DAYS YOKOHAMA TO VANCOUVER. 18 DAYS HONGKONG TO VANCOUVER

PROPOSED SAILINGS. R.M.S.	(Subject to Alteration Leave Hongsong Arrive	on). Vancouveb.
EMPRESS OF JAPAN 6000 TARTAR 4425 EMPRESS OF OHINA 6000 ATHENIAN 3882 EMPRESS OF INDIA 6000 MONTEAGLE 6163	TONS WEDNESDAY, June 19 TONS THURSDAY, July 4 TONS WEDNESDAY, July 17 TONS THURSDAY, Aug. 1 TONS WEDNESDAY, Aug. 14 art from Hongkong at 4 p.m.	July 13July 22Aug. 10Aug. 19.
. 11		

THE Juickost route to CANADA, UNITED STATES and EUROPE, calling at SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, (through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN), KOBE, YOKOHAMA and VIOTORIA, B.C., connecting at VANCOUVER with a Special Mail Empress, and at Quebec, with the Company's new palatial EMPRESS' Steamships, 14,500 tons register. The through transit to Liverpool being 22 1/2 days from Yokohama, and 29 1/2 days from Hongkong. Hongkong to London, 1st Olsss......via St. Lawrence £30. vir New York £62.

Intermediate on Steamers.) " and 1st Class Railways... R.M.S. MONTEAGLE, TARTAR AND ATHENIAN CARRY INTERMEDIATI Passengers only at Intermediate rates, affording superior accommodation for that Class. Passengers booked through to all points and AROUND THE WORLD. SPECIAL RATES (first class only) granted to Missionaries, Members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic and Civil Services, and to European Officials in the Service of

Ohina and Japan Governments. For further information Maps, Routes, Handbooks, Rates of Freight and Pas-D. W. CRADDOCK. sage "apply to General Traffic Agent for China.

CORNER PEDDER STREET and PRAYA, Opposite Blake Pier.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA (THE JAPAN MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY).

PROJECTED SAITINGS FROM HONGKONG-SUBJECT TO ALTERATION SAMENG DATES. DESTINATIONS. MARSEILLES. LONDON!

SINGAPORE, PENANG, Copt. Wm. Bainbridge, May, at Daylight Capt. Wm. Bainbridge, May, at Daylight May. Capt. Wm. Bainbridge, May, at Daylight May. Capt. H. Fraser, Tons 6126 June, at Daylight Capt. H. Fraser, Tons 6126 June, at Daylight May. WEDNESDAY, 12th Capt. R. Kawara, Tons 6388 May, at Daylight Capt. R. Kawara, Tons 6388 May, at Daylight May. Capt. A. E. Moses, Tons 7463 June, at Daylight May. Wis Manila, Thurs- Via Singapore (Augusta Manila, Capt. May) Capt. T. Harrison, Tons 3817 June, at Noon. Wakasa Maru, Capt. K. Kori, Tons 4406 May. Saturday, Ist June, a.m. Wakasa Maru, Capt. A. Christiansen, Tons 6265 Ist June, a.m. Wednesday, 12 June, at Noon.		MARSELLLES, LUNDON	•
COLOMBO AND PORT SAID		AND [ANTWERP, Via	INABA MARU, Tons 6126 WEDNESDAY, 29t
Capt. H. Fraser, Tons 6126 June, at Dayligh VIOTORIA, B.O., AND SEATTLE, WASH., Via SHANGHAL, MOJI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA. STONEY AND MELBOURNE, PAY ISLAND, TOWNS VILLE AND BRISBANE. Capt. N. Mathieson, Tons 5076 June, at Dayligh Capt. N. Mathieson, Tons 5076 June, at Noon. FRIDAY, 14th Capt. N. Mathieson, Tons 5076 June, at Noon. FRIDAY, 12th Capt. T. Harrison, Tons 3817 July, at Noon. BOMEAY, VIA SINGAPORE TRAGOSHIMA MARU, WAKASA MARU, Capt. K. Kori, Tons 4405 May. WAKASA MARU, NAGASAK'. KOBE AND YAWATA MARU, WEDNESDAY, 12th Capt. A. Christiansen, Tons 6265 SATURDAY, 1st June, a.m.			
VICTORIA, B.O., AND SEATTLE, WASH., Via SHANGHAI, MOJI, TANGO MARU, Capt. R. Kawara, Tons 6388 May, at Daylight. WOBE & YOKOHAMA. Capt. A. E. Moses, Tons 7463 June, at Daylight Of Mary is and Maria, Thurston, Tons 5076 June, at Noon. Pay island, Townstylle and Brisbane. Capt. N. Mathieson, Tons 5076 June, at Noon. Politic and Brisbane. Capt. T. Harrison, Tons 3817 July, at Noon. Bombay, Via Singapore 1 Kagoshima Maru, Maru, Capt. K. Kori, Tons 4405 May. Wakasa Maru, Capt. K. Kori, Tons 6265 lat June, a.m. Nagasaki. Kobe and Yawata Maru, Wakasa Maru, Capt. A. Christiansen, Tons 6265 lat June, a.m.		COLOMBO AND PORT	KAMAKURA MARU, WEDNESDAY, 12t
SEATTLE, WASH., Via SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA. BYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, Via MANILA, THURS- Capt. N. Mathieson, Tons 5076 VILLE AND BRISBANE. Capt. T. Harrlson, Tons 3817 Capt. T. Harrlson, Tons 4405 May, at Noon. Capt. T. Harrlson, Tons 3817 Capt. T. Harrlson, Tons 4405 May. KOBE AND YOKOHAMA WAKASA MARU, Capt. A. Christiansen, Tons 6265 Ist June, a.m. NAGASAKI. KOBE AND YAWATA MARU, WEDNESDAY, 126		SAID	Capt. 11, fraser, 100s 0120 (oune, at Dayinga
Via SHANGHAL, MOJI, TANGO MARU, TUESDAY, 11th ROBE & YOKOHAMA. Capt. A. E. Moses, Tons 7463 Jude, at Dayligh SYDNEY and MELBOURNE, KUMANO MARU, FRIDAY, 14th Via MANILA, THURS- Capt. N. Mathieson, Tons 5076 June, at Noon. PAY ISLAND, TOWNS- YAWATA MARU, FRIDAY, 12th VILLE AND BRISBANE. Capt. T. Harrison, Tons 3817 July, at Noon. BOMEAY, Via SINGAPORE TRANSCRIPTION MARU, MONDAY, 27th AND COLOMBO Capt. K. Kori, Tons 4405 May. KOBE AND YOKOHAMA WAKASA MARU, SATURDAY, Capt. A. Christiansen, Tons 6265 lst June, a.m. NAGASAKY. KOBE AND YAWATA MARU, WEDNESDAY, 12th Capt. A. Christiansen, Tons 6265 lst June, a.m.			I Alast I Kamera Tone 6988) May at Haylight
BYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, (KUMANO MARU, Via MANILA, THURS- Capt. N. Mathieson, Tons 5076		SEATTLE, WASH.,	•
SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, KUMANO MARU, Via MANILA, THURS-Capt. N. Mathieson, Tons 5076 June, at Noon. DAY ISLAND, TOWNS-YAWATA MARU, VILLE AND BRISBANE. Capt. T. Harrison, Tons 3817 July, at Noon. BOMBAY, Via SINGAPORE KAGOSHIMA MARU, AND COLOMBO Capt. K. Kori. Tons 4405 May. KOBE AND YOKOHAMA WAKASA MARU, Capt. A. Christiansen, Tons 6265 lst June, a.m. NAGASAK'. KOBE AND YAWATA MARU, WEDNESDAY, 12:	•	via SHANGHAL, MOJI,	TANGO MARU, STUESDAY, 11th
VIA MANILA, THURS- Capt. N. Mathieson, Tons 5076 June, at Noon. PAY ISLAND, TOWNS- YAWATA MARU, FRIDAY, 12th' VILLE AND BRISBANE. Capt. T. Harrison, Tons 3817 July, at Noon. BOMEAY, VIA SINGAPORE († KAGOSHIMA MARU, MONDAY, 27th AND COLOMBO Capt. K. Kori. Tons 4405 May. KOBE AND YOKOHAMA WAKASA MARU. SATURDAY, Capt. A. Christiansen, Tons 6265 lst June, n.m. NAGASAK'. KOBE AND YAWATA MARU, WEDNESDAY, 12:		KOBE & YOKOHAMA.	Capt. A. E. Moses, Tons 7463 \ June, at Dayligh
PAY ISLAND, TOWNS: YAWATA MARU, FRIDAY, 12th' VILLE AND BRISBANE. Capt. T. Harrison, Tons 3817 July, at Noon. BOMEAY, Via SINGAPORE KAGOSHIMA MARU, MONDAY, 27th AND COLOMBO Capt. K. Kori. Tons 4405 May. KOBE AND YOKOHAMA WAKASA MARU. SATURDAY, Capt. A. Christiansen, Tons 6265 1st June, n.m. NAGASAK'. KOBE AND YAWATA MARU. WEDNESDAY, 12:		BYDNEY AND MELBOURNE,	KUMANO MARU, FRIDAY, 14th
VILLE AND BRISBANE. Capt. T. Harrison, Tons 3817 July, at Noon. BOMBAY, VIA SINGAPORE KAUOSHIMA MARU, MONDAY, 27th AND COLOMBO Capt. K. Kori. Tons 4405 May. KOBE AND YOKOHAMA WAKASA MARU. SATURDAY, Capt. A. Christiansen, Tons 6265 1st June, a.m. NAGASAK'. KOBE AND YAWATA MARU. WEDNESDAY, 12:	_	Via MANILA, TRURS-	Capt. N. Mathieson, Tons 5076 June, at Noon.
BOMEAY, VIA SINGAPORE KAGOSHIMA MARU, MONDAY, 27th AND COLOMBO Capt. K. Kori. Tens 4405 May. KOBE AND YOKOHAMA WAKASA MARU. SATURDAY, Capt. A. Christiansen, Tons 6265 1st June, n.m. NAGASAK'. KOBE AND YAWATA MARU. WEDNESDAY, 12st		DAY IŞLAND, TOWNS-	YAWATA MARU, FRIDAY, 1266
KOBE AND YOKOHAMA {WAKASA MARU, SATURDAY, Capt. A. Christiansen, Tons 6265} lst June, n.m. NAGASAK'. KOBE AND (YAWATA MARU, WEDNESDAY, 12)		VILLE AND BRISBANE.	Capt. T. Harrison, Tona 3817 July, at Noon.
KOBE AND YOKOHAMA WAKASA MARU, SATURDAY, Capt. A. Christiansen, Tons 6265 lst June, a.m. NAGASAK'. KOBE AND YAWATA MARU, WEDNESDAY, 12:	ı ı	BOMBAY, VIA SINGAPORE	A KAUOSHIMA MARU, MONDAY, 27th
NAGASAK'. KUBE ANDIYAWATA MAKU, WEDNESDAI, 12		AND COLOMBO	Capt, M. Mori, Tons 9400 t Disy.
NAGASAK'. KUBE ANDIYAWATA MAKU, WEDNESDAI, 12		KOBE AND YOKOHAMA	Capt. A. Christiansen, Tons 6265 lst June, a.m.
YOKOHAMA. Capt. T. Harrison, Tons 3817 June, at Noon.		NAGASAK'. KUBE AND	YAWATA MAKU, WEDNESDAI, IZ
		YOKOHAMA.	[Capt. T. Harrison, Tons 3817] June, at Noon.

t Cargo only. * Calling at Keelung. † Through Passenger Tickets issued to the Principal Cities in the United States, Capada and Europe, in connection with the Great Northern Ramway and Atlantic Steamers. Round-the-World Tickets also issued. Between Nagasaki and Yokohama, 1st and 2nd Class through Passengers have the option of travelling by Rail.

For further information as to Freight, Passage, Sailings, &c., apply at the Company's Local Branch Office in Prince's Buildings, First Floor, Chater Road.

1 OEYLON MARU,

Capt. F. Pyne, Tons 5068

SHANGHAI, MOJI & KOBE

A. S. MIHARA, Manager.

MUNDAY, 10th

NORTHERN STEAMSHIP COMPANY

Operating the New Twin Screw Steamship

MINNESOTA -

28,000 TONS

BETWEEN YOKOHAMA, KOBE, NAGASAKI, SHANGHAI, HONG KONG And SEATTLE, U. S. A.

Sailing Dates Subject to Change.

31st July, at Noon.

Direct connections at Seattle with Great Northern and Northern Pacific Railways for all points in the United States and Canada; also with Atlantic Steamship Lines for all points in Great Britain and on the Continent. Direct connection at Hong Kong for Manila, Straits Settlements, Java, India, London and Paris.

GLUXURIOUS PASSENGER ACCOMMODATIONS—Suites and Staterooms (all outside rooms), Music room, Library, Smoking room, Nuncry, Laundry, Telephones, itc.

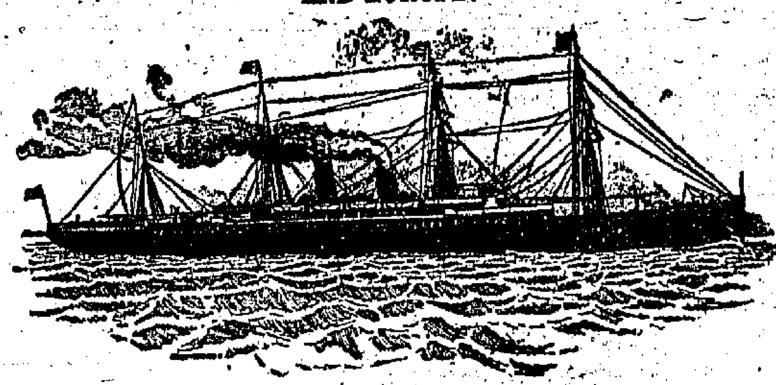
ITrans-Preific Cabin passengers may travel by rail if desired between ports of Yoko-hama, Kob- and Nagasaki, without extra charge. G For convenience of coastwice cabin passengers return tickets are interchangeable with regular mail lines between Japan, China and Hong Kong.

I For full information regarding freight or passage apply to NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA, Agents. Shipping.

PACIFIC MAIL OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL S.S. CO., TOYO KISEN KAISHA.

MAIL LINES.

TAKING PASSENGERS AND CARGO TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA. AND EUROPE:



SEMI-TROPICAL ROUTE.

Only line taking the warm Southern Route across the Pacific, via MonoLulu, on Oanu, the most fertile and beautiful island of the Pacific.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM I	HONGKONG	
STEAMERS,	• •	Sailing Dates. 1907.
* KOREA18,000 G	ross Tons	SATURDAY, 1st June, at Daylight.
* AMERICA MARU11,000		TURSDAY. 11th June, at NOOD.
* SIBERIA1,000	44 141	TUESDAY, 18th June, at Noon,
* OHINA10.200		TUESDAY, 25th June, at Noon,
* MONGOLIA11,000		TUESDAY, 2nd July, at Noon.
* NIPPON MARU11,000	49 944	TUESDAY, 9th July at Noon.
DORIC 9,000	44	SATURDAY, 20th July, at Noon.
COPTIO 9,500		SATURDAY, 27th July, at Noon.
* HONGKONG MARU 11,000		TUESDAY, 6th Aug., at Noon.
* Twin Screws.	,	MOTO

RECORD FAST TRIPS. Yokohama to San Francisco......s.s. KOREA, 18,000 tons. September 16-27th 1905; 10 days, 11 hours and 5 minutes. San Francisco to Honolulu SIBERIA, 18,000 tons. August 16th-20th, 1905; 4 days, 19 hours.

San Francisco to Yokohama.....s.s. SIBERIA, calling at Midway Islands and Honolulu en-route, August 16th-31st, 1905, 13 days, 13 hours. Yokohama to San Francisco.....s.s. SIBERIA, 18,000 tons, Oct. 13th to 23rd, 1905 10 days, 10 hours and 29 minutes.

THE P. M. Steamship KOREA will be despatched from Hongkong to SAN FRANCISCO, via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, (INLAND SEA), KOBE, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU, on SATURDAY, the 1st June, 1907, at Daylight,

taking cargo for Japan and the United States. SPECIAL RATES (first class only) granted to Missionaries, Members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic and Civil Services, and to European Officials in the Service of China and Japan Governments.

Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yekohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Rollway, to Havana, Trinidad, and Domerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Companies and connecting Steamers. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the

Companies, Queen's Buildings. S. SILVERSTONE, Agent.

SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, CIG INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, PORTLAND, ORREON via Moji, Koba & Yokohaua; For

CONNECTION WITH THE	OKREON	KAILKVAD	Q	Mayida	TIUR		b
STRAMBHIP.	Tost.	CAPTAIN.	•	To	RAIL	OR.	
ALESIA	4370	G. MEIENER FELDTMANN	Satur	day, June	22.		
The A Tad							16

and United States Points. For through rates of Freight and further information. communicate with or apply to S. SILVERSTONE, Agent.

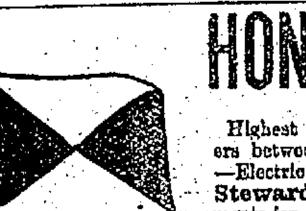
CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LD.

	YOB	FTEAMER	Z0	BAIL
	SWATOW AND SHANGHAI	Yıkoçnow †	May	24, at Noon.
į	SWATOW, TSINGTAO, CHEFOO AND	Нисном	May	25, at 4 p.m.
	SWATOW AND SHANGHAI	.1 7		
	KOBE	Towar #	May	25, at 4 n m.
-	HOIHOW & HAIPHONG	SINGAN	Mav	28. at 10 a.m.
	AMOY, NINGPO & SHANGHAI	.Yunnan †	May	28, at 4 pem.
1	MANTEA.	LEAN C	May	26, at 4 p.m.
	INWATOW AND SHANGHAL	DRAOHRING [DIBY	ov, at 4 p.m.
	OHEROO AND NEWOHWANG	KWEIYANG	June	1, at 4 p.m.
	CERT & HOTEO	KATFONG	June	l, at 4 p.m.
	MANILA, ZAMBOANGA, PT. DARWIN,			
	THURSDAY IBLAND, COOKTOWN,	Tainan * 1	June	8, at 4 p.m.

CAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE * The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered for BOMBAY, on SATURDAY, the 1st by these Steamers, which are fitted throughout with Electric Light. Unrivalled Table. June, at Noon, taking Passengers and A duly qualified Surgeon is carried.

† Taking Cargo on through bills of lading to all Yangtsze & Northern China Ports. with the Company's Steamship Mongolia, † Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for all New Zealand and other 9,600 tons, from Colombo, Passengers actually Ports. Australian Ports. N.B.-REDUCED JALOON FARES, Single and Return, To Manila and Anstrallan Ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE AGENTS.



Highest Class, newest, fastest and most inxurious Steamers between Hongkoug and Manila,—Saloon amidships,—Electric Light—Perfect Cuisine—Surgeon and Stewardess carried.—All the most up-to-date arrangementa for comfort of Passengers.

CHINA AND MANILA COMPANY, LIMITED. STEAMSHIP

0 //	Steamship.	Tons.	Caplains.	For	Sailing Dates.
5 B	ZAFIRO	2540	A. Fraser	Manila	Saturday, May 25,
e o	RUBI	2540	R. W. Almond,	Manlla	at Noon. Saturday, June 1, at Noon.

Snewen, Tomes & Co., General Managers.

STEAMSHIP COMPANY AMERICAN



FOR NEW YORK, VIA PORTS AND -UEZ CANAL.

LICERTY TO CALL AT THE MALABAR COAST).

IO BAIL

For Freight and further information, apply to

Genera Agents.

Shipping, —

INDU-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LD.

PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).

Fon	STRAMERS		To Sant,
* SINGAPORE,	PENANG HOPSANG	THURSDAY,	May 28, at 3 r'z
* MANILA	LOONGSAN	GFRIDAY,	. May 24, at 4 P.1
• SINGAPORE,	PENANG KUMBANG	SATURDAY,	May 25, at 3 P.1
+ SHANGHAI	TAISANGHANGSANG	BATURDAY,	May 25, at 4 P.1 May 26, Daylight
* TIENTSIN	OHIPSHIN	GTUESDAY, "	May 28, at 4 P 1
t sandakan		THURSDAY,	May 30, at 4 P.1
	MAUSANG		

* These Steamers have superior Accommodation for First-class Passengers, and are fitted throughout with Electric Light. + Taking Cargo on Through Bills of Lading to Chefco, Tientsin, Newchwang, nd Yangtaza Porta. † Taking Cargo on through Bills of Lading to Kudat, Lahad Datu, Simporns, Tawao, Usukan, Jesselton and Labuan.
For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Managers,

NORDDEUTSCHER BREMEN.

For	STRAMERS	To Sail.
NAPLES, GENOA, GIBRAL TAR, SOUTHAMPTON, ANTWERP AND BREMEN	/ _/]	WEDNESD 5th June, at Noon.
SHANGHAI, NAGASARI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA) acres navirones	WEDNESD 22nd May at 6 p.1
MANILA, NEWGUINEA, BRISBANE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE	PRINZ WALDEMAR,- Capt. W. von Senden,	THURSDA 23rd May at Noon.
YOKOHAMA AND KOBE	PRINZ SIGISMUND; Oapt. Lenz,	About FRIDAY.
	TRADURA	SATURDA

KUDAT AND SANDAKAN For further Particulars, apply to

> Norddeutscher Lloyd, MELCHERS & CO.,

General Agents, Hongkong & China.

Hongkong, April 26, 1907.

OHINA COMMERCIAL S.S. CO., LD.

Captain E. Schippen, will be despatched for SALINA ORUZ, MEXICO, via KUOHINOTZU, JAPAN, on TUESDAY,

the 28th May, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to CHINA COMMERCIAL S.S. Co., LD. Hotel Mansions.

Hongkorg, May 11, 1907.

STRAITS, CEYLON, AUSTRALIA

india, aden, egypt, mediter RANEAN PORTS, PLYMOUTH AND LONDON.

Through Bills of Lading issued for BATA VIA, PERSIAN GULF, CON-TINENTAL, AMERICAN AND SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS.

THE Steamship OCEANA, Captain W. HAYWARD, B.N.B., carrying His Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this Cargo for the above Porte, in connection before departure from Hongkong. A Slik and Valuables, all Cargo for France and Tea for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into the mail steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and

Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 p.m. the day before sailing. contents and value of all packages are For further Particulars, apply to

E. A. HEWETT,

Huperintendont. Hongkong, May 18, 1907.

GLEN' LINE OF STEAMSHIPS. FOR LONDON, ANTWERP AND HAMBURG, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship GLENLOGAN, Captain J. McGregor, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 3rd June, For Freight or Passage, apply to

MoGREGOR BROS. & COW. Hongkong, May 16, 1907. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS,

LIMITED. FOR LONDON AND ANTWERP. THE Steamship

FLINTSHIRE will be despatched for the above ports on or about MONDAY, the 3rd June. For Freight and further particulars, THE Steamship SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,

Hongkong, May 11, 1907. THE AMERICAN AND ORIENTAL THE LINE.

FOR NEW YORK. With liberty to call at the MALABAR COAST). THE Steamship NORMAN PRINCE,

Captain BARRETT, will be despatched for the above ports on or about WEDNES-DAY, the 12th June. For Freight or Passage, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO.,

Hongkong, April 26, 1907.

TOYO KISEN KAISHA SOUTH AMERICAN LINE

REGULAR STEAMSHIP SERVICE BETWEEN HONGKONG & CALLAC AND IQUIQUE, VIA JAPAN PURTS (KARATSU, KOBE & YOROHAMA).

WITH OPTION TO CALL AT MEXICO AND - OTHER COAST PORTS.

Steamers Tons To Sail KASATO MARU...6100 May 23, at Noon. GLENFARG......4000 Middle of July. Taking Freight and Passengers to other Eastern and Western Coast Ports of South America in connection with steamers of the Pacific S.N. Co. The above steamers have eplendid accom-

modation and are fitted throughout with Electric Light. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried on each bost. K. MATSDA, Manager, "York Building. Hongkong, April 15, 1907.

MESSAGERIES MARITIMES

PRENCH MAIL STEAMERS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATA-VIA, COLOMBO, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, INDIA, ADEN, DJIBOUTI, EGYPT, MAR-

SEILLES, LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUY, MEDITERRANGANAND BLACK SHA PORTS.

THE Steamship Captain Lauceurs, will be despatched for MARSEILLES on TUESDAY, the 28th May, 1907, at 1 r.m.

This Steamer connects at Colombo with the Australian line s.s. Yarra bound for MARSEILLES, via BOMBAY and ADEN. Passage Tickets and through Bills of Lading lasted for above ports. Cargo also booked for principal places in

Next Sailings will be as follows :--S.S. OCEANIEN......June 11, 1907. S.S. AUSTRALIENJune 25, 1907. S.S. CALEDONIENJuly 9, 1907. 8.8. Ernest SimonsJuly 28,-1907. S.S. POLYNESIENAug. 6, 1907. S.S. VILLE DE LA CIOTAT... Aug. 20, 1907. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, May 15, 1907.

SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED FOR SYDNEY AND METBOURNE.

(Calling at TIMOR, PORT DARWIN and QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to Adelaide, New ZRALAND, TARMANIA, &C.)

Captain MoARRHUR, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the let June,

at Noon. This well-known Steamer is specially litted for Passengers, and has a Refrigerating Chamber, which ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions, Ice, &c., throughout the voyage.
The Steamer is installed throughout with

Electric Light. A Stowardess and a duly qualified Surgeon are carried. N.B.-To assure the additional comfort of passengers the steamers of the Company have electric fans fitted in staterooms. For Freight of Passage, apply to: GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO.,

Hongkong, May 6, 1907.

Shipping. DOUGLAS STRAMSHIP COMPANY,

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOUOHOW. THE Company's Steamship HAICHING,

Oppinin A. E. Honorns, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 24th inst., at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS, LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, May 21, 1967.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS FOR SHANGHAL KOBE AND

YOKOHAMA.

THE Company's Steamship ~ AUSTRALIEN. Captain VERRON, will be despatched for the above ports on or about MONDAY, the G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hougkong, May 21, 1907. REGULAR STEAMSHIP SERVICE TO HEW

YCEH, VIA PORTS AND SUEZ CANAL. With Liberty to Call at MALABAR COAST. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG .-

FOR NEW YORK. STEAMERS. To SAIL, 1967. SHIMOSA 6th June. BRAEMA28th June. For Freight and further information,

DODWELL & CO., LTD.

AND

Done with Nectness and

Despatch At Moderate Prices

Programmes

Company Reports

Business Circulars and .

Books of all kinds.

Under Estopean Supervision

15, WYNDHAM STREET, HONGKONG.

(1) · 左 区 连 (1) =

THE LEADING NEWSPAPER IN SIAM EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN STEAM. And widely circulated in Malaya, Cochin China, the Straits Settlements,

> W DAILY NEWSPAPER, with a weekly Mail Edition (20 pp.)
> Subscription, Daily (postage extra),

Ticale 50 a year. Wherey, including postage, £2 p.a. Adventising Rates. Per inch (8 lines). Ticals 2, one insertion; Ticals 4 cents 50, three times; Ticals 6 cents 75 a week; Ticals 14 cents 47, a first month; subsequent months, Ticals T

A UNIQUE FEATURE, of the "Bangkok Times" is its Siamese version. Thus the advertiser is enabled to talk as it were with the Slamese in their own tongue without mowing one word of it, the "Bangkok Times" doing the translations required.
Literary communications should be adiressed to the Entrop. Business comand Post Office Orders in favour of MANA.

GER, "Batggok Timen." Orders booked by Manager, China

PROPOSED SAILINGS OF MAIL STEAMIRS

TARING PASSENGLES AIFO 10B

COLOMBO, INDIA, AUSTRALASIA, EGYPT, BRINDISI, &c. THROUGH TICKETS ISSUED TO BOSTON AND NEW YORK.

STUAMERS to Colombo	Leave Hongxone	Connecting Steamers from Colombo to Marshilles & London	Due at Marszillzs (Brindisi 2days earliei)	Due at PLYMOCTH London 1 day later)
OCEANA	Noon Sat'day June 1 June 15 June 29 July 13 July 27 Aug. 10 Aug. 24 Sept. 7 Sept. 21 Oct. 5	MONGOLIA 9500 BRITANNIA 6500 through stemmer MOOLTAN 9600 MACEDONIA.10500 HIMALAYA 7000 MOLDAVIA 9500 INDIA 8000 MONGOLIA 9500 VICTORIA 7000	July 27 Aug. 10 Aug. 25 Sept. 8 Sept. 22 Oct. 6 Oct. 20	Saturday, 1907 July 6 July 20 Aug. 3 Aug. 17 Sept. 1 Sept. 15 Sept. 29 Oct. 13 Oct. 27 Nov. 9

Passengers change steamers at Colombo, and those for Burnden transfer also to the Express Mail Steamer at PORT SAID Accommodation in the connecting steamer from Colombo is arranged in Hongkong at time of booking. In addition to the above Mail Steamers the following :-

INTERMEDIATE (Non-Transhipment) STEAMERS WILL LEAVE FOR

LONDON,

CARRYING SALOON PASSINGRES AT REDUCED RATES.

STEAMERS.		Leave Honge Gra		Due at Lordon	
NORE NUBIA SYRIA NYANZA SIMLA SUNDA MANILA NAMUR	7000	June June July July July Aug. Aug. Sept. Oct. Oct.	5 19 17 31 14 28 11 9	July Aug. Sept. Sept. Sept. Oct. Oct. Nov. Dec.	22 5 2 16 30 14 28 25 9

These Stesmits call also at Sipperore, Penang, Colombo, and at Malta or Marscilies. Carries 1st and 2nd Salcon Passengers. + Carries only First Salcon Passengers.

For further particulars, Apply to

E. A. HEWETT, Superintend nt.

2221

Capt. T. Ito,

REGULAR STEAM-SHIP SERVICE BETWEEN HONGHONG, SOUTH CHINA COAST PORTS AND FORMOSA PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG-

	SUBJECT TO ALT	
THE Co.'s s.s. SEIKO MARU, Capt. G. NAKAO, {	FOR FOODHOW, VIA SWATOW AND AMOY,	FRIDAY May, a
* MASAN MARU, Capt. I. SARURAI,	TAMSUI, VIA SWATOW AND AMOY.	SUNDAY May,
+ SOSHU MARU, Capt. T. SUBUGA,	SHANGHAI, VIA SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOCHOW,	MONDA May,
* FUKUSHU MARU, [ANPING, Via SWATOW	WEDNE

SUNDAY, 26th May, at 9 a.m. MONDAY, 27th May, at 9 a.m. WEDNESDAY, 29th May, at 8 am. * These Steamers have excellent Accommodation for First and Second-class Passen-

gers, and are fitted throughout with Electric Light. First-class Salcon Amidships. Taking Cargo on through Bills of Lading to all Yangtsze & Northern China Poris. For Freight, Pageage and further information, apply at the Co.'s local Branch Office, at Second Floor, No. 1 Queen's Buildings.

T. ARIMA, Manager

LEAVING

FRIDAY, 24th

May, at Daylight

PACIFIC NORTHERN

STEAMSHIP CO. CONNECTING AT TACOMA WITH

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY CO.

PROPOSED SAILINGS YEOM HONGKONG FOR

VICTORIA B.C. AND TACOMA

YOKOHAMA. AND

To Sail, Osptains. Boscower's T. W. Garllok

DHEAP FARES, EXCELLENT ACCOMMODATION, ATTENDANCE AND COISINE ELECTRIC LIGHT, DOCTOR AND STEWARDESS

* The Twin-scrow s.s. Shawsut and Tremont are fitted with very superior Accommodation for First and Second Class Passengers. The large size of these vesses s enaures steadiness at sea. Electric fan in each room. Barber's ahon and steam laurler. Cargo carried in cold shorage.

PARCEL EXPRESS TO THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA. For further information Apply to

OFEN'S BUILDINGS.

Dodwell & Co. Limited. GBNBRAL AGUNTS.

PRISON LIFE IN CONGOLAND. Notices to Consignees.

TOYO KISEN KAISHA: SOUTH AMERICAN LINE NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship RASATO MARU having arrived, Consiguees of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf Co., whence delivery may be obtained.

All goods remaining undelivered after the 23rd inst., will be subject to rent. All claims as to broken, chafed and

damaged goods are to be notified to us im-

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

K. MATSDA,

Manager.

*Hongkong, May 17, 1907.

mediately.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM UALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Steamship Kumsang having arrived from the above Ports Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their goods will be delivered

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 P.M., the 18th inst. will be landed at Consignoes' risk and No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., LD General Managers. Hongkong, May 16, 1907.

BEN' LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP BENLOMOND.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns the Honorono and Kowloon Whare an Godown Co., Limited, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained No, Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods undelivered after the 24th inst. will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 31st inst., or they will not be re-All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 24th inst., at

No-Fire Insurance has been effected Bills of Lading will be countereigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, May 17, 1907.

THE 'SHIRE' LINE OF STEAMERS

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM MIDDLESBRO', LONDON

COLOMBO & STRAITS. THE Steamship CARDIGANSHIRE, Captain Tyens, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkone and Kowloon Wharp

AND GODOWN Co., LTD., at Kowloon and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 24th inst., will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they

will be examined on the 24th inst., at 10 a.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,

Honakong, May 20, 1907.

AUSTRIAN LEOYD'S STEAM NAVI-GATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND SHANGHAI.

THE Company's Steamship Trieste laving arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that Cargo will be 257 landed into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company. Limited, whence delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon, on the 26th May, 1907, or they will not be recog

No Fire Insurance has been effected and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 26th May, 1907, will be subject Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

SANDER, WIELER & Co.,

Prince's Buildings. Hongkong, May 20, 1967.

EAST PRAYA RECLAMATION SCHEME.

AS PROPOSED TO THE HONGKONG GOVERNMENT AND THE MARINE LOT-HOLDERS BY SIR PAUL OHATER.

The Pull Details Printed in Pamphlet Borm

Copies usy be had at "CHINA MAIL! Office 8, Queen's Road Central. Pelce 50 Cents each.

AMRBLE THROUGH SOUTHERN FORMOSA: By G. TAYLOR, I. M. Customa

With Woodours [Reprinted from the China Review.] Ing of the Best Statched of Formosa-Life yet writtan.

... 50 Cents. DHINA MAIL Office, 5 Wyndham Street

World's Strangest and Most Deadly Gaol

Brussels, April 16-Among the mon called upon by Brussels to trade and govern in Congoland are many who seem to imagine that the initial letters of "Etat Independ ant du Congo" should stand for "Esclaves, Ivore, Caoutchouc."

For these men the State has constructed prison in the suburb of Boma, and the Congo Justices give long sentences to agents convicted of crueltics. In a way this Boma gaol is the most extraordinary penitentiary in the world:
Its appearance does not suggest a prison;
there are no grim, frowning walls, no heavy
iron-studded gates, no battlements or
towers, or signs of defence. Really the

place is like a great English sandpit, with the climate of a stifling orchid-house. You pass beyond the last straggling but in the outskirts of Boma and find a huge tract of yellow land devoid of tree, or bush, or blade of grass. Save for a low wall marking the boundaries of the grounds the place is unenclosed and uncarded. The bungalow of the prison superintendent is at the entrance gate, and in front of the door stands a native soldier with naked sword. In the centre of the patch

way. The windows and the door are This temperary iron building is the prison-house: It is here that the criminal years' sentences for "making war against

of land is a low, one-storied from building

with large windows and a capacious door-

When I visited the place fourteen or fifteen mon were imprisoned, all-as every one of them assured me-by reason of an unfortunate miscarriage of justice. The interior of the building resemble the stateroom alleyway of a large liner From the narrow corridor, which is the

drawing-room and reception hall private rooms branch off to the right and left. The little rooms are clean and well furnished. Each prisoner has a bunk an a hammock, washstand, and mirror. The corridor is furnished with sents." The prisoners have no uniforms; they

wear their private clothes, and, as a rule, are costumed in pyjama suits. The prison is a kind of criminal club; there are no restrictions, the men talk with each other or take exercise together in the prison yard just as they please Most of the day is spent by the unfortunates in sitting by the doorway and trying to breathe stray ripples of cool

The prison cuisine is also extraordinary. Two or three courses are served at every meal, and the State provides red wine-a pine every day for, each man. In a way it is the most comfortable au the most casual prison in the world. But

-it were better to spend twenty years in an English prison than five years at Boma. The climate of the capital of the Free State is abominable. It is always hotterribly hot-and the glare of the sun is appalling. The yellow sand of the prison yard scens to be a blaze of fire; after a time it becomes unboarable, and the misty grey of the sky, always screened behind an impenetrable heat haze, creates a curious feeling of desolation in the heart of an

ordinary European. The only really certain thing about the Bouna prison is the insufferable heat. Periodically every prison has fever—in Capons, Large, Small,—Sin Kal-Congoland fever is inevitable. After the fever there is the weakness and the awful Ducks,-Ap depression. And it is not a good thing to Doves, -Pan Kau ... be depressed in a Congo prison-house 5,000 miles from home.

upon the unhappy, men by the elimate, the ever-present memory of crime, and the knowledge that Europe is shut of from them for ten or fifteen or twenty years. Long sentences in Central Africa mean leath to the criminals-death produce after months of slow torture. The red wine and the course dinners notwithstanding, no man could survive ten years of life in a

The mosquitoes and the sand flies, the jiggers and scorpions, and all the creeping crawling things are bad enough, but the climate and the desolation and the hopelessness-thesethings are indescribably

Better a clean bullet, a quick death than a year in this comfortable, lieneficen prison at Boms.

Dentistry:

Dr M. H. CHAUN,

THE Latest Method of the AMERICAN SYSTEM of DENTISTRY. 33. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. From the University of Ponusy vania,

DR. HARRY FONG, AMERICAN TRAINED DENTIST. INLECTRICAL and Latest Improved

51, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

Surgeon Dentist. No. 14, D'AGUILAR STREET. TERMS VERY MODERATE Consultation Free.

A BROKEN-DOWN SYSTEM. give many names, but which few of them really understand. It is simply weakness-a break-down, as it were, of the vital forcesthat sustain the system. No matter what may be its causes (for they are almost numberless], its symptoms aromuch the same; the more prominent being sleeplessness, sense of prostration or weariness, depression of spirits and want of energy for all the ordinary affairs of life.

Now, what alone is absolutely essential is all such cases is increased vitality—vigour— VITAL STRENGTH & ENERGY to throw off these morbid feelings, and experience proves that as night succeeds the day this may be more certainly secured by a courte of the celebrated life-reviving tonic

THERAPION No. 3 than by any other known combination. So surely as it is taken in accordance with the printed directions accompanying it, will the shattered health be restored, THE EXPIRING LAMP OF LIFE LIGHTED UP AFRESH, and a new existence imparted in place of what had so lately seemed worn-out, "used up," and valueless. This wonderful restorative is purely

valueless. This wonderful restorative is purely vegetable and innocuous, is agreeable to the tasta-suitable for all constitutions and conditions, in either sex; and it is difficult to imagine a case of disease or derangement, whose main features are these of debility, that will not be speedily and permanently benefited by this never failing recognitive essence, which is destined to the oblivion everything that had preceded it for this wide-spread and numerous class of humans iments. THE RAPION is sold by Chemists throughout the world. Price in England. 2/9 and 4/6. Purchasers should see that the word THERAPION' appears on British Government Stamp (in white letters on a red ground) affixed to every package by order of his Malesty's Hon Commissioners, and without which it is a forgery.

For Sile by Principal Chemists

HONGKONG AVERAGE MARKET PRICES.

Corrected to Thursday, May 16th, 1907. At 100 cents per Dollar Min aca.

Butcher Meat. Beef sirioin & prime out-Mel Lung Pa ... ib 20 Corned-Ham Ngau Yuk Roast,-Shiu ... Breast, -Nagu Liam Soup,-Tong Yuk , Steak,-Ngan Yilk l'a Cutom Ngau Lau Sirioin, 30 Sausages,-Ngau Chaung Bullock's Brains,-, Sion Tongue fresh,-Ngan Li each [0 corned-Ham Ngan Li Head, -Ngan Tau ... lb. 12 Heart,-Ngan Sum Hump, Salt-Ngau Kin *** ** Feet,-Ngau Kerk Kidneys,-Ngau Yiu Tail-Ngau Mei Liver,-Ngau Con Tripe (undressed)-Ngaa-To white mon serve their five or ten or fifteen Calves' Head & Feet-Ngau-chal-tau-kak, set \$1.00 4 11 Mutton Chop,-Yeung Pal Kwat .. Leg,-Yeung Pei Shoulder, -Young Shan ... Piga' Chittings-Chi chong Brains-Chi Know ... per set ... Head,-Chi Tau ... Heart,-Chi Sum

, Feet,-Ch Kerk , Fry,—Chi Chak .. Kidneys,-Chi Yiu ... "· Liver,—Chi Con Pork, Chop,-Chi Pai Kwat ,, Corned, -Ham Chu Yuk .. Leg, -Ohu Pei · · · · Fat or Lard,—Chu Yau ... , 16 Sheeps' Head and Feet, -Young Tau Kerk set to .. Heart, - Yeung Sum Kidneys,-Yeung Yiu 1b. 24 Liver,-Young Con

Sucking Pigs, To Order-Chu Chal Suet, Beef, Sang Ngau Yau , Mutton, -Sang Young Yau ... Veal,-Ngau Chal Yuk Sausages,-Ngau Cha! Cheong

Poultry.

Chicken. - Kal Chal ... Eggs, Hen -Kai Tan,... Imagine the condition of mind produced Fowls, Canton,-Kal

, Halnan, -Hol Nam Kal ... Geese, -Ngoi_ Geese, Wild Sh'al, -S'ha Yer Ngol, Musk Door,-Wong Keng Hare, Shanghai,-Tu Chal ... Partridge,-Ohe Kaou Pheasant,—Shan Kai

Pigeons, Canton,-Pak Rup Hothow,-Hol How Pak Kap. ,, Quail,-Um-Chun ... Rice Birds,—Wo Fa Chenk Snipe,—Sa-Ohoy Turkeys, Cock-Phor Kai Rung ...

Hen, , Na Wild Dacks, S'hal,-Shanghal Sul-ap pali Toal,-Sui Ap Chal, Wild Ducks Conton-SangShing Sui Ap. oa.

Barbel, -Ka Ya Bream,-Bin Yu Canton Fresh Water Fish,—Hoi Sla Ya Carp,-Li Yu Catfish,-Ohik Yu ... Qodfish,-Mun Yu 1379 Jrabs, -- Hal ... Cuttle Fish, -Muk Ya Dab, -Sa Mang Yu ...

> Dace,-Wong Mel Lun Dog Fish-Tit Ta Sa Eels, Congor,—Hai Mann 🖦 " Fresh water,—Tam S u Yu ... Eels, Yellow, -Wong Sin ... Frogs,-Tien Kal ... Garoupa, -Sek Pan ... Gudgeou, -Pak Kup Yu-

Herrings,-Tso Pak Hallbut,-Cheung Kwan Ku Labrus, -- Wong Fa Yu Loach, Wu Yu Lobston, -Long He Mackerol,-Ohi to Monk Fish,-Mong Yo Mullet,-Chai Yu ... Oysters,-Sang Hoo Parrotfish, Kat Kung

Perch,-Tau Loo

Flalce, -Pan Yu

Pike, -Fa Paw Poong

Pawhs,-Ming Ha ...

Ray -Pel Pa Sa

Pomfret, Black,-Hak Chons

Pomíret, White, Pak Chong

Shrimps,---Ha Snapper,-Lap Yu ... ioles. —Tat Sa Yu l'ench.—Wan Yu Turtles, small, fresh water, -Kork Yu. 銀魚仔 White Balt,-Ngan Yo Chal Apples, (California)-Kam San Ping Khe (Chefoo)-Tin Chun Ping Khor ... Small, -Hor Tong ... Custard,—Fan Lai-Chie. Bananas, fragrant, Canton,—San Shing Reung Chiu Bananas, (brides), Macao-San Henng Chlu Chestnuts, Chinese,-Foong Lut ... Carambola, -- Yeung Tuo ... Cocoanute, -Yeh Tsz. Lemons, China-Ning Moong America-Kum San Ning Moon Licheus, Dried-Lai Chi Con Fresh- ., ... Limes, (Saigon)-Sai Kung Ning Moong ... Mango, Manila-Lui Sung Mong ... Mangosteens, -San Chuk Ten ... Oranges, (Canton)-San Shing Tim Chang 1b Passion Fruit Pears, (American),-Kam San Shut Li ... 1b (Canton), Cooking,-Sa Li " (Shanghai),—Sheung Hai Li Peanute,-Fa Sang Persimmons Large,-Hung Chie ... Pine-apples, 1st quality.—Sheung Poon Ti ... -Paw Law 2nd cocking-Chung-tang-paw-law Plantains,-Tai Cheu Plums, -- Swatow Hung Lai ... Pumelo, Sinm,-Chim Lo Yau Walnuts, -Hop Tuo

Salmon,-Ma Yau

Shark, -Sa Yu

Water Melon-(Am.) Kum San Sai Kwa ... (China) Sai Kwa ...-Vegetables, &c. Artichokes, Shanghai, Sheung Hat Ab Chi Cheuk Beans, (French), Macao, -Oh Moon Pin Ta (French), Shanghal,-Sheung Hal Pin Tau ... Sprout,-Ah Chol ... Long,-Tau Kok Beet Root,-Hung Chor Tau Brinjals, Green,-Ching Yuen Ker Red,-Hung Ker...

" Green, - Sang Hop Tuo

Cabbage, Chinese, com.—Kal Choy Cabbage Red .- Hung Yea Choy Cabbage, (Shanghai),-Yeh Chol Cane Shoots, bunch,--Kan Shun ... Cauliflower, Large size, -Tai Yok Chol-fa ouch . Medium size,-Cheung Yeh Cho -fa " Small size,—Sai Yeh Choi Fa ... Carrots,—Kam Shun Celery, Chinese,-Tong Kan Chol English,-Young Chilles Dried,-Con Lat Chin 海口白鍋 Red,-Hung Fa ... Green,-Ching Lat Chlu ... Curry Stuff, English, "Ka Lee Choi Liu... Cucumbers, -Ohing Kwa ... Bitter Squash. Fu Kwa Garlic, -Suen Tau ... Ginger, young,—Sun Tsz Keung

old,-Lo Keung ... Horse Radish, E'hal-Lik Kan Indian Corn, Suk Mal Lettuce,-Young Sang Cho! Water Chesnuts, -Ma Tal ... Mandarin,-Kwel Lum Ma Tat. .. Mushrooms, Fresh-Sang Cho Kho Musk Melon-(American Onlone, Bombay, - Yeung Chong Tau Green,-Sang Churg ... Shanghal, -Shoung Hai Chung Tan Papaw, 1st qual.-Tai Man Sau Kwa each

2nd ,, Chung Paraley,-Kun Cho ... Green Peas,-Ching Tau Potatoe, Sweet,-Fan Shu Shanghal, -Shoung Hai Shu Teal Japan,-Yut Poon Sha Tesi. 日本署仔 American, -Fa Ki ,, .. Foodhow, -Fuk Chan Shu Teal Pompkin,-Toong Kwa ...

Radish,-Hung Lo Pak Tsal Rhubarb (Fresh)—Tai Wong Shalots,-Oon Chung Tau Spinage, (Chinese)-Paw Choi Spinach,-Yin Chol Tomatoes, -Fan Ker Taros, - Wu Tau Turnips, Puntl, (Long),-Low Pak English, Yeung Low Pak

Vegetable Marrow,-Ohit Kwa ., (Am.)-Kum San Chit Kwa Water Oresses, -Sal Young Chol Lilylroot,-Lin Ngau

O. W BRETT, Inspe tor of Murkets. The prices necessarily vary from day to day and the Sanitary Board has no power to compel stallholders to se I at the prices G. A. Wor DCOOK. Secretary, Sanitary Board

Pock Fish —Sek Kan Kuns

曾白

SPORTING.

Lawn Tennis.

Two Lawn Tennis matches were played on the Cricket ground yesterday afternoon, a semi-final in the Doubles Handicap and a semi-final in the Singles (B Class). Tengonal In the first mentioned Messrs R. and H. Hancock (owes 40/-) met Messrs A. R Sutherland and H. A. Lammert, (owes 2/6) and had little difficulty in winning,

Messrs R. Henderson (owes 15/1) and A. W. J. Peako (owes 2/6) played off their semi-final in the singles and the former won by two sets to one. The match was fairly close and Mr Henderson, will have to play better to defeat Mr S. E. Green fowes 30/-) in the final.

Only three matches have now to be played to complete the tournaments, viz :---PROPESSIONAL PAIRS (final) :- Messrs H Pinckney and H. Hancock v. Captain Bessley and Lieut. Whyte, (Wednesday). DOUBLES HANDICAP (final) ;- Messrs H. and R. Haucock (owes 40/-), v. Caption Beasley and Lieut. Whyte (owes 30/3). (Thursday).

SINGLE HANDICAP (B CLASS) (final) :--Mr S. E. Green (owes 30/-) v. Mr R. Henderson (owes 15/1). (Thursday).

WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued by Mi Figg of the Hongkong Observatory :--On the 22nd at 12.05p.—Except over the N.E. coast of China, the barometer has fallen generally, particularly over S. China and the Loochoos.

A depression appears to be moving Eastwards over the Yangtze Valley, and pressure is highest over the Pacific to the E. of the Loochoos.

Fresh S. and S.W. winds may be expect ed in the Formosa Channel and the N. part of the China Sca. Hougkong rainfall for the 24 hours end

ing at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noor to-morrow. FORECAST DISTRICT.

1.-Hongkong and Neighbourhood: S to S.W. winds, fresh'; squally, showery. 2.—Formosa Channel: Same as No. 1 3. -- South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamocks: Same as No. 1. 4.--South coust of China between Hongkong and Hainan: Same as No. 1.

To-day's Advertisements

NOTICE.

HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that from This Date I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife MIRIAM LAURA BAILEY.

W. S. BAILEY,

20, Connaught Road. Hongkong, May 2t, 1907.

FIRE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF HONGKONG.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that A he CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on FRIDAY, the 24th instant, 'VIQTORI : DAY.' By Order,

A. R. LOWE, Secretary. Hongkong, May 22, 1907.

PUBLIC AUCTION. ITHE Undersigned has received instructions from H. KAMMEL, Esq., to sell progress. by Public Auction,

MONDAY.

the 27th May, 1907, commencing at 2.30 P.M., at No. 3, The ALBANY,-A QUANTITY OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, (Particulars from Catalogue).

A Quantity of PALMS in POTS. TERMS :- As Customary. On View from Saturday, the 25th May, 24 and 28 Western St.

GEO. P. LAMMERT, Auctioneer. Hongkong, May 22, 1907.

Our Herd of Cattle has lately been increased by a large

number imported from America and we are now able to fill

all Orders for

MILK, CREAM and FRESH BUTTER.

THE DAIRY FARM CO., LD.

Hongkong, May 22, 1907.

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship SCHARNHORST having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Bonokong & Row-LOON WHARP AND GODOWN COMPANY. LIMITED, Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before WEDNESDAY, the 22nd of May, at Noon. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 20th of May, will be subject to rent. All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they

will be examined on the 29th of May, at 9.30 a.m. - All Claims must reach us before the 3rd of June, 1907, or they will not be recog-

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by he Undersigned. NORDDEUTSOHER LLOYD, MELCHERS & CO...

Agents. Hongkong, May 22, 1907.

Had to Be Washed and Dressed and Even Fed Like a Baby - Suffered Untold Agony-Afraid to Be Left Alone-Had Despaired of Getting Better-In Awful State.

CURED IN ONE MONTH BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

"I think it nothing but right that I should let you know what Cuticurahas done for me. I had eczema for three years and I was under doctor's treatment the whole of the time, also the Infirmary, and I could not get cured. It would get better for a day or two, but would break out again worse than ever. At times it was so bad I had to be washed and dressed and even fed like a baby. It was only my hands and arms that were affected. my hands and arms that were affected, but I suffered untold agony, and I got so low I was alraid to be left alone, and I had quite despaired of getting better, but at last I tried Cuticura. used three boxes of Cuticura Ointment, and three bottles of Cuticura Pills, and in a month I was cured, That was twelve months ago and I have seen no signs of it returning. I always keep a bottle of Cuticura Pills in the house. They do me more good than anything else, and I never use any other than Cuticura Soap. I think that no matter how bad any one was, if they gave the Cuticura Remedies a fair trial, they would cure them, for I was in an awful state. Mrs. Conley, 9 Gawen St., off-Joek Lane, Holbeck, Leods, England, Jan. 23, 1906."

CUTICURA

(ChocolateCoated,invial,60Pills) Are alterative, antiseptic, tonic, digestive and aperient, and beyond question the purest, sweetest, most successful and economical of blood and skin purifiers, humour cures, and tonic digestives, entirely superseding old-fashioned, nauseous, and expensive liquid medicines. Especially valuable for women.

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every
Burnour of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap to cleanse life skin, Culicura Cintment to
heal the skin, and Cuticura Pills (Chocolate Costed,
vial of 60) to purify the blood. A Single Set often cures.
Sold throughout the world. Depots: Anstralia, R. Towns
& Cu., Sydney, London, Newhery, 27 Charterhouse, Sq.,
Paris, Hoberts, 5 Rue de la Paix. Potter Drug & Chem.
Corn. Sole Props.

To-day's Advertisements

TO LET.

TIWO Semi-Detached VILLAS, situated on a hill in GARDEN ROAD, Kowloon; bright, airy Rooms; command a beautiful view near the Ferry; rent exceptionally

Apply H. RUTTONJEE & SON, 5, D'Aguilar Street, Hongkong, and Kowloon. Hongkong, May 22, 1907.



GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

TT is hereby notified that the SANITARY STAFF will be engaged in house to T. Thomson. house CLEANSING WORK, between the hours of 9 A M. and 12 Noon, at the follow- don, Mr and Mrs B. Giles .ing premises in the City of Victoria, on the dates specified, and Members of the Community who are interested in this question Emil Drows, Miss Elise Volker, Mossre S. are invited to inspect the work while in

WEDNESDAY, May 22nd. 14- 23 Albany St., Wanchai. 21-311 Peel St. 26- 30 Gage St.

2-18 Sai Woo Lane. 362-380 Des Vœux Road West. THURSDAY, MAY, 23Rd. 24-32 Albany St., Wanchai. 32- 46 Gage St.

1- 17 Sal Woo Lane. 382-392 Des Voeux Road West.

SATURDAY, MAY 26TH. 186-206 Queen's Road East. 48-52 and 27-33 Gage St. 1-11 Kin Sau-Court. 19-25 20-28 Sai Woo Lane. 420-434 Des Voeux Road West.

Houses in which cases of Plague or Smallpox have occurred are disinfected at once. and it is not therefore possible to notify these addresses in advance in the public press, but if any members of the community who are interested will give their names and addresses to the Medical Officer of Health, he will notify them of each case as it occurr, and they may, in like manner, inspect this worksubject to such precautions as the Medical Officer of Health may deem necessary to prevent the spread of infection. -the 23rd May.

This advertisement will be repeated For KARATSU, KOBE, YOKOHAMA from time to time with the correct al-

A. M. THOMSON. Odonial Secretary. Hongkong, May 22, 1907.

dresses at which this work will be carried

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

KOREA. The above Steamer having arrived, Consigness of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery from slongside.

Cargo impeding discharge and undelivered by FRIDAY, 24th May, 1907, at Noon. will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense. All Cargo undelivered by TUESDAY, May 28th, 1907, at Noon, will be subject to rent. Broken, chafed, or damaged goods will

he examined at the above Company's Godown on SATURDAY, 25th May, 1907, at 10 a.m. No Fire Insurance will be offected. S. SILVERSTONE. Agent.

THE REVENUE OF CHINA

Hongkong, May 22, 1907.

SERIES OF ARTICLES Reprinted from The Ohina Mall. WITH AN APPENDIX

To be had at the OFFICE OF THIS PAPER. 8, Queen's Road Central. Price 60 Cente,

SHIPPING-

ARRIVALS.

Mercedes, British transport, 3,000, J. S. McGregor, Kobe May 14.—Admiratry. Korea, American str., 5,641, S. Sandberg, San Francisco April 23, and Shanghai May 18, Mails and General. P. M. S. S. Co. Formosa, British steamer, 2,615, B. W. H. Snow, Yokobama May 7, General.—P.

· Helene, German steamer, 771, J. Jessen, Swatow May 20, General.—Jessen & Co. Scharnhorst, German steamer, 8,130, L. Maass, Bremen April 10, and Singapore May 17, Mails and General .- MELCHERS &

Fooksang, British steamer, 1,987, T. D. Mitchell, Samarang May 13, Sugar. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongwan I, British str., 2,060, G.

Kinghorn, Singapore May 16, General .---CHINEBE. Haiching, British steamer, 1,267, A. E. Hodgins, Foochow May 19, Amoy 20, and Swatow 21, General.—Douglas Steamship

Hud, French steamer, 701, J. Paunier, Halphong May 17, and Holhow 21, General and Pige. -A. R. MARTY. Masan Maru, Japanese steamer, 702, Sakurai, Tamsui May 19, General.—

0. S. K. -Carl Diederichsen, German steamer, 754, T. Petersen, Haiphong May 19, and Hoihow 21, Rice and General. - JEBSEN & Co.

DEPARTURES. May 21. Idomeneus, for Singapore and London. Rajaburi, for Amoy.

Monteagle, for Shanghai and Vancouver. Bayern, for Europe, &c. Seium Maru, for Kobo. Shakano Maru, for Saigon. Protector, for Shanghai. Wongkoi, for Swatow. Cardinanshire, for Shanghai, E Franz Ferdinand, for Shanghai. Kwanglee, for Shanghai. Knivsberg, for Kwong-chow-wan. Drufar, for Swatow. Formosa, for Singapore and London.

PASSENGERS.

Scharnhorst, for Shanghai.

Per Koren, from San Francisco, &c., Mr and Mrs Dillon Bronson, Miss Marion E. Bond, Mrs B. B. Brammell, Mr Anson F. Cox, Mr W. J. Duncan, Mr J. H. Ferguson, Dr D. F. Henry, Mr and Mrs. M. V. Hester and child, Mr and Mrs John R Holmes, Mrs A. R. Hunter, Mr C. B McGhee, Miss E. F. O'Rourke, Mr D. Rosenberg, Mrs C. A. Westbrook, Miss B. The Mongel Line steamer Braemar sailed Mr C. M. Arratoon Mr E. P. Lawton, Willard, Mrs Maurice Zucker, Miss E. M. Seltser, Mr J. H. Seth, Mr and Mrs Edgar Walter, Messra F. E. Hinckley, Jules Valentin, Mr and Mrs A. Bassett, Mr and Mrs Louis Getz, Miss L. R. Getz, Mr R. T. S. Darston, Mr and Mrs George Gerdes, Dr F. B. Bowman, Mr P. D. Colbert, Miss E. Desmond, Miss E. T. Dwyer, Mr W. W. Graves, Mr A. E. The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Socotra left Harnst, Mr T. F. Jackson, Mr Chester 907 Murray, Miss Victoria G. Romero, Mr H. Rosenberg, Miss Westbrook, Mrs A. M. Smith, Miss E. H. Zucker, Miss A. L. Seltsor, Miss V. Do Noie and servant, Mr. F. Grisolia, Judge L. R. Wilfley, Mr F.

M. Brooks, and Miss H. Roth. Per Haiching, from Coast Ports, Mesers E. H. Foot, Guildehaue, Mrs and Miss

Per Fooksang, from Samarang, &c., Mr Per Formosa, from Shanghai : for Lon-Per Scharnhorst, for Hongkong : from Bremen, Messrs G. W. Thierfelder and Jurgenson, O. Schanitzki, Emil Hansen and Herm. Sauppa; from Southampton, Mr Robert Donald, Mr James Acheson, Dr C. E. Blair, and Mr R. Bridger; from Gibraltar Mr and Mrs Hazauas; from Genos, Mrs Bistram, Messrs A. Hoffmeister, G. Ulderup, Jacob Bendixen, F. Gumbert, Rev. Sutherland, and Mr Reevolt; from Napel, Mr R. G. Cowlishaw, Mrs M. C. Cowlishaw, and Miss S. Cowlishaw; from Penning, Mr C. Kingmann, and Dr Engelmann; from Singapore, Dr Fellows, Mossrs H. Wolferston, and Rol-

VERSELS AT THE DOORS. - At Kowloon, Tjilatjap, Amiral Beaumont, Haiphong, Renomme, Y. Sontua, Sorsogon, Chowtai. Hongwan-I. Compositan-Mercedes.

Aberdeen.-

POST OFFICE NOTICES. Mails will close:—

For QUANG-CHOW-WAN, HOIHOW, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG .-Per Hongkong, at 9 a.m., on Thursday, the 23rd May.

SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE-& YOKOHAMA.— Per Tjipanas, at 9 a.m., on Thursday, the 23rd May.

CALLAO & IQUIQUE.— Per Kasato Maru, at 10 a.m., on Thursday, the 23rd May.

For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CO LOMBO.--23rd May. For MACAO.

Per Sui Tai, at 1.15 p.m., on Thursday, the 23rd May. Per Sui An, at 8 a.m., on Friday, the 24th May. CONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-

CUTTA.— Per Hopsang, at 2 p.m., on Thursday, the 23rd May. For HAIPHONG.-Per Carl Diederichsen, at 5 p.m., on the years 1887-8-9. Thursday, the 23rd May.

For MANILA, SIMPSONHAFEN, FRIEDRICH WILHELMSHAFEN, HERBERTSHOHE, MATUPI BRISBANE, SYDNEY, HOBART, LAUNCESTON, NEW ZEALAND. MELBOURNE ADELAIDE PERTH & FREMANTLE.

Per Prinz Waldemar, at 9 a.m., on Friday, the 24th May. For AMOY.--Per Hongican I, at 9 a.m., on Friday, the 24th May. For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOOHOW.

24th May. For MANILA,-Per Loongsang, at 9 a.m., on Friday, the 24th May. For SWATOW & SHANGHAL.

or SWATOW & SHANOHAL.—
Per Yingchow, at 9 a.m., on Kriday, Edn. 25 m 8 3 0,1 m 1 64 7.1 m 2 27 m 8 41 7.1 m 2 27 m 8 38 a 7.5 m 3 1 3 88 a 7.5 m 3 1 7.5 m 3 1 8 a 6.0 4 20 a 7.7 m 8 36 11 50 a 4.7 5 15 a For MANILA.

STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL. [SUPPLIED TUBOUGH REUTER.]

Claverdon, Kennebec, Roon, April 2;
Sambia, Sandonhall, 5; Indrasamha,
Teopro, 9; Alesia, 13; Macedonia, 16,
Achilles, 19; Monmouthshire, Teucer,
Hsientsieh, 28; C. Ferd. Lacisz, Montgomeryshire, Socolra, Teenkai. Aberlour,
Hyson, 26; Benavon, Chingwo, Lowther
Castle, Palma, Wakasa Yaru, May 3;
Peshawur, 4; Australien, Christiania,

Roongkong Hotel.

Mr J. Acheson Mr W. S. Jones
Mr P R. Adams Dr and Mrs E. Evan,
Mr Adone Jones
Mr W. S. Bailey Mr E. S. Joseph
Mr H. G. BaltiscomboMr R. M. Joseph
Mr R. B. Beattle Mr J. C. Joughin
Mr and Mrs W. E. Mrs & Miss F. KaufBenis' Benis' Peshawur, 4; Australien, Christiania, Indrapura, 7; Calchus, Nile, Syria, Laertes, Ningchow, 10; Benarty, Chikuzen Mr and Mrs Binch, Mr A. H. Laing Mru, 14; Iyo Maru, Polyphemus, Hakata Maru, P. R. Lulipold, 17; Glenroy, Carnavonshire, Memion, Pathan, Dannalas, O. Mrs. S. Bisney Capt. P. A. Lapice Miss S. Bisney Capt. P. A. Lapice Miss S. Bisney Mr N. G. M. Luy

Dorprince, 21. ABBIVALS AT HOME. May 21, Calchas, Slavonia

The M. M. Co.'s steamer Australies with the FRENOH MAIL of the 26th April, left Singapore on Monday, the expected here on or about Monday, the 27th May. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 23rd March.

The Imp. German Mail s.s. Prinz Walde mar left Kuchinotzu on Sunday, the

The Imp. German Mail s.s. Prinz Sigis- Mr A. H. Crook mund left Sydney on Wednesday, the Mr A. Ornickshank Perkins - expected here on or about May 30th. The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of India | Mr. F. O. Davies the 16th May, for Victoria and Miss E. Dismond Mr A. J. Pugh Vancouver.

The T. K. K. 8.s. America Maru will sail from Yokohama on the 24th May, and is due to arrive at Hongkong via Manila on the 3rd June.

The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of China left Vancouver for Hongkong via usual ports of call on Tuesday, the 14th May, p.m.

Steamers Expected.

The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Tartar arrived at Mr C. E. Gage 19th May, and left again at 5 p.m. on Mr Z. Gerhard arrive at 6 a.m. on Wednesday, the Miss L. R. Getz 22nd May.

at Manila on the 19th May, and is expected to sail on the "ard May. Tho s.s. Japan, from Oxloutta, left Singapore on the afternoon of 20th May. and may be expected here on the Mrs C. M. Jack morning of 25th May.

The British s.s. Coquet left Moji on the 18 h May for this port, and is due to Capt. & Mrs Russell Mr J. E. Joseph arrive here on or about the 23rd May. may be expected to arrive here on or Miss Bond

Yokohama on Tuesday afternoon, the 14th May, for Victoria and Vancou-Singapore for this port on the 18th

May, at 6.30 a.m. The L.O. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Kutsung left Mr and Mr F. T.Mr and Mrs S. Silver-Calcutta for this port via The Straite here on or about the 30th May. The E. & A. str. Aldenham left Sydney

on 16th May for Hougkons. Latest Advices. The N. Y. K. s.s Ragoshima Maru (Bom- Dr Hinckley

on the 22nd May, and is expected on Mr and Mrs. Holmes Judge Wilfley the 25th May. The Imp. German Mail a.s. Manila which Mrs Jackson and child left here on April 27th, arrived at Sydney on Tuesday, the 21st May,

The Imp. German Mail s.s. Prinz Regent Luitpold which left here on April 24th May, at 4 p.m.

EXCHANGE.

HONSKONG, May 22, 1907. On London – On demand,... 2/14 30 lays' sight, 2/2 4 months 'sight 2/2} Jedits, 4 months sight, Documentary, 4 months sight, ... 2/24 On Paris-On demand, 2713 Oredits, 4 months' sight, On Berlin-On demand, 221 On New York— On demand, 525

Credits 60 days' sight, ... +38 On Bombay— Op Calcutta-On Singapore-On demand, s. 812P. On Manila— On demand, Pesos.... On Shanghal-On domand, ... 78

80 daya' sight. (private paper) ... 737 On Yokohama-On domand, 1053 Gold Leaf, 190 fine, (per tael)... 848.60 Per Trieste, at 1 p.m., on Thursday, the Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate ... \$ 9.20 Silver (per oz.) ... 301

Songhong Tides.

The tide table given below has been Mr Cogean compiled at the Nautical Almanac Office Mr J. G. Dyer in London from the result of the analysis Mr W. T. Edwards Mr W. T. Shutt of observations taken by means of an au. Mr G. Glover tomatic tide-recording machine in the Wa. Mr Greenhalgh ter Police Basin at Telm Sha Teui during Mrs Holm The zero of the table corresponds with

Charts which has been found to be 4 feet 3 inches below mean sea level. To obtain the depth of water on the tide gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add 3 feet 4 inches, and on the gauge at Lamont Dook, Aberdeen, add 10 feet 6 inches to the height given in the table.

the zero of the soundings in the Admiralty

May 23rd to 29th, 1907. Hion-Waven LOW WAYPE. For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOOHOW. Sold Hongkong Hongkong Height. Per Haiching, at 9 p.m., on Friday, the State of Time. Height

VISITORS AT HOTELS. HONGKONG HOTEL.

Mr.R. J. Birbeck Mr H. W. Langborg Mr & Mrs S. Bisney Capt. P. A. Lapicque Mias S. Bisney Mr N. G. M. Luykx Mr & Mrs W. Logan Mt A. B. Blunn Miss Maoles Mr G. Bowack Mr T. Brayfield His Excelleny Lord and Lady Li Ching Mr F G. Brighton Mr& Mrs L. Broughall Mai, ohi'd & nurso Mr L. F. Campbell Mr J. F. Malden

Mr E. W. Carpenter Mr Brisbane Marks Mr A. Carter 20th May, at 3 p.m., and may be, Marchioness Li HungMr E. McOarthy Miss Marceles Mr M. O. Clark Mr Leong Ming Mr and Mrs T. W.Dr and Mrs W. B. A. Moore Mr H. J. Coloham Mr Alberts Moreno,

Mr H. E. Colvin Mr J. H. Murray 19th May, and may be expected here Mr. R. G. Cowlish Newbord on or about Wednesday, the 22nd May, Mrs. M. C. CowlishawMr A. E. Paine Mr and Mrs R. H. Miss Cowlishaw Mr and Mrs T. L. 8th May, at 7 p.m., and may be Lt. & Mrs Davidson, Mr A. R. Von de.

Pfordten Mr Tong Ching Pon left Yokohama on Monday afternoon, Mr T. M. Devilbiss Mr C. M. Proshaw Mr and Mrs W. H.Mr E. A. Pugh Mr E. Ralphs Mr F. H. Doolittle Mr G. L. M. Randle Mr A. E. Dunrich Mr E. H. Ray

Mr W. Einstmann Dr Ribes Mr B. J. Fairchild Miss B. Richards Mr H. G. Fisher Mr J Rosenthal Mr H. L. Fletcher Miss H. Roth Mr.A. Skinn Mr C. B. Franklin Mr B. L. Frost Mr J. S. Spittlea Mr W. T. Stebbing Stuart J. Fuller Mr Denman Fuller Mr H. Stephens

Mr P. D. Sutherland Dr Fulton Mr L. J. Thomas Yakohama at 3 p.m. on Sunday, the Mr & Mrs G. Gordes Mr and Mrs M. L. Monday for Kobe, where she is due to Mr & Mrs L. Getz Miss H. M. Thompsor Mr Th. Toledano Mr C. Tredwen The Boston S. S. Co.'s s s. Tremont arrived | Hon, E. A. Hewett Mr & Mrs E. Walter Mr J. B. Wishard

Mr J. D. Woods Mr R. Hunter Mr H Wolfe: den-Mrs Ynchauste Mr J. P. F. Jokl

from Singapore on the 18th May, and Mr and Mrs Bassett Mr Geo. T. Lloyd about Friday morning, the 25th May. Mr Harry Bramley Mr D. M. Nicholson The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Athenian left Mr and Mrs Brouson Miss Annie Peacock Mr. N. N. CampanoleMr E. Point Mrs Castle Mr and Mrs G. H.Mr D. Rosenberg Mr H. Rosenberg

Miss Rourke Mr D. S. Darton Miss E Solzer Mr Jeo. A. Forsaith Miss A. L. Selzer Gause and amah etone on 14th May, and may be expected Miss Sarah Gause Mr.M. L. Silverstone Mr. W. G. Fitz Gib- VI -Arthur H. Silver-

Mr & Mrs Goodyear Mr M. S. Silverstone Capt. T. G. Hanson Mrs Smith Mr D. V. Stevenson Mr W. F. Stritton Miss Henderson bay Line), left Shanghai for this port Mr R. C. Hislop.

Mrs Hunter

Mr A. Frank

Mr G. Williams

Mr R. H. Smith

CONNAUGHT HOTEL Mr and Mrs Barbey Mr A. W. Hott Capt. F. P. Jeayes Miss R. B. rber Mr Barelli arrived at Genoa on Tuesday, the 21st | Mr and Mrs Blunck Mr Chas. E. Marks Capt. H. Branried Mr A. Mc Arthur Mr F. Campnelli Mr G. G. McGain and Mr S. D. Crawford family Mrand Mrs DennistonMr A. A. Noisworthy Mr and Mrs Schonand child Mr F. Festersen wanctb

> Mr I ouis GreenwaldMr P. Stoppa r Th. Hansen . Misses W. P. & F. M. Mr C. Horbat. · Winstory . BALTIMORE HOTEL. Mr and Mrs J. I.Mr and Mrs C. A Hedêkin and child Andrew Mr J. Keating Miss Andrew Mr and Mrs F. C.Mr Poras Mr J. Proger. Mr. R. F. Recher I**r J.** Biden Mr J. Bradlaugh - Mr T. Sweeney Mr J. Ward Mr F. O. Chapple Mr A. D. Warwick Mr Cruickshank

Mr O. E. Derbyshire Mr J. Watts Mr and Mrs Weish Mr G. Feyen Mr Lejeune Mr Manchers. Mr R. J. Andap Mr Meek Mr T. Meek Capt. Merlees Iz La Breton Mr W. Pearson Miss Chamberlain Mr Simpson Miss Obapman Mr D. P. Chapman Mrs Simpson & infan Mr F. H. Havelock Irs H. B. Dixon Stovens Mr Erskine Mr H. Watkins Mr J. R. Winter

Mr Harrof PELHAM HOUSE. Mr Arnold Mr. S. Kingsbury Mr S. J. Bolden Mr Mathers Mr Fred. A. Brown Mr O'Dell Mr and Mrs Perry Mr S. H. Sutton Mr Hugh Thomas Mr E. Welter Mr J. Hutchings

KOWLOON HOTEL." Mr A. J. Hall Mrs Walker & chil-Mr and Mrs Marker dren Mr H. Rollinson Mr & Mrs Honry D. - Waolfo Mrs & Miss de Souz.

OCCIDENTAL HOTEL.

Capt, and Mrs P. F.M E. Paublen Van Emmerick Mr H. G. Stovens Capt. and Mrs J. L.Mr and Mrs J. A. Stoponi&3children Farwell : Dr J. C. Thomson Mrs Mejer Temperature. Hongkong, May 22, 1907.

4 P.M. *** HEBMOMETER-1 P.M. ... 4 P.M. ... (Wet bulb) 9 A.M. 1 P.M. ... 4 P.M. ... Do. Maximum

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

DESTINATION.	Vessels.	AGENTA,	DATE OF LEAVING.
Amoy, Ningpo & S'hai	Yuman (s)	Butterfield & Swire	15-00 1
Australian Ports		Gibb, Livingston & Co.	heny 20, at 4 p.m.
Callao, Iquique v Japan	Kasato Maru (a)	toyo Kisen Kuisha	June 1, at Moon.
Darban	Hollopolla (a):	ArnholdKarberg&Co	Above Man CO
Hoillow & Hairbone	Singan (e)	Butterfield & Swire	Man 99 at 10 a at
Japan & Portland, Or.		Portland & A. S. Co.	Tune 19
Japan, Gruz, Mexico.	Daphne (a)	China Com. 8. Co., Ld.	Var 28 at 4n m
Japan, Cruz, Mexico. Kobe	Tsinan (a)	l Kutterfield & Strive	Man 05 at 4 a m
Bobo & Yokohama	Prinz Sigismund (s)	Melchers & Co	About May 81.
Kudat and Sandakan	Borneo (#)	Molchers & Co	June 1. at 9 a.m.
	Wakasa Maru (a)	NipponiYusen Kaisha.	June 1. a.m.
	Glenlogan (s)	McGregor Bros. & Gov	June 3.
London & Antwerp	Flintabire (*)	Shewan, Tomos & Co.	About June 8.
Manila, Allian Ports.	Prinz Woldemar (8)	Melchera & Co	May 23, at Noon.
Mar'lles, London, &c	Oceana (8)	O. B. N. Co	June 1, at Noon.
Mar., L'don & A'err		P. & O. S. N. Co	About June 6.
Manila Allian Posta	Inaba Maru (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha Nippon Yusen Kalsha	diay 29, Daylight.
Manila, A'lian Ports.	Tainan (a)	Butterfield & Swire	June 14, at Noon,
	Tourane (s)	Messageries Maritime	Man Qq of I was
	Zafiro (8)	Shewan, Tomes & Co	May 25 at Noon
Manila	aktupi (8) maaaamaaama	deneman, Tomes & Co	June 1. at Noon.
Manila	Conn (s) Loongsang (s)	:/Butterfield & Swire	May 28, at 4 p.m.
Manila	Loongsang (s)	. Inrding M'sond Co, L.	diMay 2d at 4 nm
N'saki,Kobe&Y'ham	a]Yawata Maru (a)	Nippon-Yuson Kaisha	-Hune 12. at Noon.
Naples, Genoa Trar. &	c[(Ineisenau (a)	Melchera & Co	June 5, at Noon.
New York v.Sucz Cana	1 Shimoss (8)	Dodwell & Co. Limite	June 6.
•	Braema (a)		d June 28.
	Norman Prince (s)	Arnhold, Karberg& C	MADOUL June 12.
	Korea (a)		Visiay Su, at o p.ir.
	n America Maru (s)	Toyo Kisan Kaisha	Tuna 11 at Noon
	n S beris (8)	Pacific Mail S.S. Co.	June 18, at Noon.
	n China (8)	Pacific Mail S. S. C.	June 25, at Noon
l Seattle, v. S'hai. Japa	n Minnosota (a)	iNippon-Yusen-Kaishi	3. Inly 21, at Nam
S'hai, Moji, Kobe, Y'n	ia Secotra (e)	P. & O. S. N. Co	About May 25
S'hai, N'ki, Hiogo Y'm	ia Scharnborat (a)	P. & O. S. N. Co Melchera & Co	May 22, at 6 p.m.
Nati Fone of X nam	mal Austration (8)	Messagerics Maritim	es About May 22. 🚅
Shanghai, Mojice Ko	Toisens (a)	Nippon Yusen Kaish	A.June 10.
Shanchal	Hongeong (a)	Jardine, M'son & Co, I	May 25, 4 p.m.
Shanghal	Malta (a)	Jardine M'son & Co. I P. & O. S. N. Co.	Minist 26, Daylight
S'pore, P'ang, Calcutt	a. Hopsang (s)	Jardine, M. son&Co, I	d May 05 at 05, at
S'pore, P'ang, Uniont	ta Kumsang (s)	Jardine, M'son & Co, I	d May 28 at 9 n m
S'pore, C'bo, & B'ba	y. Kagoshima Maru (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisl	n. May 26
S'tow, Amoy & F'cho	w Selko Maru (8)	Osaka Shosen Kaish	a. May 24, Daylight.
S'tow, Amoy & Tame	ui Masan Maru (s)	Osaka Shosen Kaish:	a. May 26, at 8 a.m.
S'tow, Amoy & F'che	w Soshu Maru (s)	Osaka Shosen Kaish:	5 May 27. at 9 s.m. `
S'tow, Amoy & Appil	ng Fukushu Maru (a)	Osaka Shosen Kalah:	a May 29, at 8 a.m.
Swatow and Shangh	mi Yingchow (a)	Butterfield & Swire	May 24, at Noon.
Swatow & Shanghar	Klukiang (6)	Batterfield & Swire	May 25, at 4 p.m.
Stow, 10 100 & Train	I. Buichow (a)	Bufferfield & Swite	May 25, at 4 p.m.
Stor Amor Food	jonaturang (8)	Butterfield & Swire Douglas Lapraik & C Jardine, M'son & Cr, Dodwell & Co. Limit	May 30, at 4 p.m.
Tientein	in Chinghing (a)	Involve River BC	reining 24, at Nooil.
Victoria B.C. Tace	m Tromont (a)	Dodwall & Co. T. 1-12	Luluisy 20, at 4 h.m.
Viotoria, B.C., Seat	tle Shinano Marn (s)	Nippon Yusen Kala	ha Man 98 Thenlinks
Vancouver.(B.C.). &	c. Empress of Japan) Canadian P'fic R. (Co. June 8. at 4 n m
l Vanceuver. (B.C.). d	Tartar (a)	Canadian P'fic R. (To Time 19, at Noon.
Vancouver, (B.C.), d	ve. Empress of China (e) Canadian P'fic R. (o. July 9, at 4 p.m.
I		1	

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS. May 22, 1907.						
Stocks.	No. of Shares:	Value.	Paid up.	Ciosing. Quotations Cash.		
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. National Bank of China, Limited	80,000 99,925		ali £ 6	\$900 London, £100 \$51		
Canton Insurance Office Co., Ed China Traders Insurance Co., Ed North China Insurance Co., Ed Union Insurance Society, Ed Tancture Insurance Association, Ed.	10,000 24,000 10,000 10,000	\$ 83.33 £ 15 \$ 250	\$ 25 ± 5 8 100	\$280, soliers \$97 Tis. 774, sellers \$770 sellers \$158, buyers		
China Fire Insurance Co., Ed	20,000 8,000	\$ 250	20 50	\$80, buyers \$330, selicus		
Geo. Fanwick & Co., Limited.	18,000	\$ 25	all \$ 25	OTO! DOMEN		
New Amoy Dock Co., Ltd	10,000 65,700	7 62 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Lieton R Ri	\$11j, bayers Tls. 78, bayers		

Mrs and Miss West- Chins and Manils S. S. Co., Ed. 30,000 \$ 25 \$ 25 8151 Douglas Steamsbip Co., Limited ... 20,000 3 all HK. C. and M. Steamboat Co., L1 80,000 8 Indo-China S. N. Company. Limited 60,000 E \$71 soliees \$30. acllers Star Berry Company. Ed. 10,000 \$19g, sellera Shell Transport & Trading Co. Ltd. 2,000,000 £ 1 48/- bayes

Taku Tog and Lighter Co., Ed. ... 8,800 118. Shanghai Tog & Lighter Co., Ltd. \$ 200,000 Tis. 50 Tis. 50 Tis. 50. do Preference. 100,000 r Tis. 491 REVINERIES. China Sugar Company, Limited..... 20,000 \$ 100 all \$120, seliers
Luzon Sugar Company, Limited..... 7,000 \$ 100 all \$21, seliers
Perak Sugar Cuttivation Co., Ed..... 7,000 Tis. 50 Tis. 111 WHARVES. HR. & Row. Whari & Godown Co. \$ 30,000 \$ \$83, sellera

Shanghai and Hongkow Wharl Co. 32,000 Fis. 100 Tis. 220 LAND AND BUILDING. Hongkong Land Investment and 50,000 \$ 100 thanghal Hand Investment Co., \$ 52,000 Tis. 50 Tis. 105 Limited, 26,000 3 Kowloon Land and Building Com-Wel-hel-wel hand & Building Oc., Ed. 3,764 Fis. 25 Tis.25 Tis. 12, sellers

Humphreys Estate & Sinauce vo.... 150,000 \$ 10 810.90, sellers
West Point Building Co., himited... 12,500 \$ 00 \$ 00 \$10.90, sellers TRAMWAYS. ho Peak Tramways Co., Ed. 75,000 8 Bociété Francaise, des Charbon- 16,000 fcs. 250 all \$450. buyara 1 18/10 \$61, sales Raub Aust, Gold Mining Co., Ed. 200,000£ HOTELS, ETC. Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd. - 12,000 5 60 ali \$118, sellers
Astor House Hotel Ltd. (Trentsin) 2,000 1.Tis.50 Tis.50 Astor House Hotel Co., Ltd. (8'hai. 30,000 8 25 5 26 Tis. 185

DISPENSARIES. A. S. Watson & Co., Limited 90,000 \$ Watkins Elmited 10,000 5 LIGHTING. HK, and China Gas Co., Limited .. 7,000 2 Shanghal Gas Company, Lbd. 8,000 L'is. Hongkong Electric Co., himited ... 60,000 \$ BRICK AND CHMENT. Green Island Coment Co., Ed. 200,00.

WINGELLAN LOUS. Bell s Asbestos Rastern Agency. 4 8,604 £ 12/6 | 12/6 \$7, seliora United Ashestos Oriental Agency, , 9,000ord , 8 10 sll \$20, buyers H kong Rope Manufactory Co., fur 50,000 6

Hongking Cotton Spinning Co., Lat. 125,000 \$ 10 \$ 14 \$114, se Ewo Cotton Spinning and West. 20,000 Tis. 50 Tis. 52 Tis. 62 International Oction Manufactur- 10,000 Tis. 75 Fis.75 Tis. 51 Laou-Kang-Mow Cotton Spinning | 8,00 | Tis. 100 fis100 Tis. 75 Soy O co Ortton Spinning Co., La 2,000 Tis. 500 Tis. 370 China Provident Loan Mortgago i 200,000 \$ 10 \$ 10 \$9. sales 1. \$ 10 \$9, sales & sellers

12 **8** 12 891, selieri 320, seliers Ohina Borneo Company, Ltd. 60,000 8 Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited ... 1,200 8 Wm. Powell, Ed. \$ 8,000 25 8 25 \$28, sellers Sceam Laundry Company, Limited. 20,001 10 8 10 87 OTHER COMPANIES. Pailippine Co., Ed. 67,500 \$

Athambra Limited

Ohines Imperial 1886 c.Tls. 767,200 Fis. 2507 % p. annum P. VERNON and SMYTH Stare-Brokeri.

500 \$ 50 **\$120**

Printed and published for THE CHINA MAIL, Limited, by WILLIAM HENRY DOYALD at No. 5, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.